

HEAVY FIGHT IS IN PROGRESS

Japs and Russians Going at It Hammer and Tongs Near Port Arthur.

THE PORT MUST FALL VERY SOON

Cannot Hold Out Against the Japanese Onslaughts Much Longer—More Troops Are Being Landed.

[Special by Scripps-McLain.]
Chefoo, June 3.—The Japanese have landed another body of troops at Tsingtao, south of Tientsin, reinforcements for the troops attacking Port Arthur have been landed north-east of Tientsin.

London, June 3.—A St. Petersburg correspondent of the Central News writes that a dispatch from Liao-yang was received stating persistent rumors that there was another great battle proceeding near Port Arthur. A continuous cannonading has been heard from South.

Tokio, June 3.—Report reached here today of an engagement at Luchiatun fifty miles north of Port Arthur on Monday. After a stubborn fight of two hours the Russians were driven northward. The Japanese loss was 26 killed, 27 wounded.

Drill Convicts.
St. Petersburg, June 3.—When the Japanese attempt to seize the island of Sakhalin, a purpose which they are known to cherish, the Russian convicts will be weighed in the military balance.

The Czar has sanctioned the enrollment of these "volunteers" for the specific work of defending the island, but not to re-enforce the army in Manchuria.

No regiment of Russian regulars would tolerate such men in its ranks. The first detachments of the convicts were organized two months ago. They have been constantly drilled since then and are digging trenches, mounting guns and practicing rifle fire.

Russian officers employed in this service report that the raw material is excellent and the soldiers intelligent, obedient and ready to fight.

Persons acquainted with the rigors of prison life in Sakhalin have little doubt that the convicts are desirous of showing up well in the sphere of comparative liberty they now enjoy.

Hamper Government.
Copenhagen, June 3.—Confidential advices from St. Petersburg represent the quarrel between the so-called court party and the Landsdoff and Kurapatkin element as so violent as seriously to hamper administration.

The court party, inspired by Admiral Alexieff, General Sacharoff, Minister of War, and the notorious Council of State, Resolozoff, eager to clear itself of responsibility for the war, is heaping abuse on the Foreign Minister and the commander-in-chief, Landsdoff's diplomacy is savagely belabored and Kurapatkin's administration of the war office is condemned.

More Japs.
Chefoo, June 3.—Chinese arriving from Takushan say that a Japanese force estimated at from 6,000 to 10,000, who landed at Takushan last Monday, has proceeded to Feng Wang Cheng. Reinforcements have, it is reported, also been sent from other points.

It is believed that a third army will land close by Port Arthur, probably in Pigeon Bay. The Japanese have discovered and destroyed a formidable system of land mines close to Port Arthur, extending several miles from the forts.

According to the latest reports brought by refugees from Dainy the attack on Port Arthur is expected to culminate on or before June 10. A train of siege artillery has been landed at Kinehou, with a staff from the artillery school at Uraga. Large quantities of heavy ammunition are being landed.

Seek Explanations.
Washington, June 3.—The Navy Department experts are getting a little light on the origin and effects of the Japanese explosive, which has had such destructive effects on the Russian vessels.

The explosive is the invention of Professor Shimose of Japan and has been named for him, Shimose.

One of the experts at the Navy Department yesterday said the performance of Shimose tended to show that it was superior to the French melinite, the English Lyddite, the American Thorite, Jovelite and Maxinite. A good deal of allowance should be made however said the expert, for exaggeration. The department for instance does not believe that pieces of an exploded Shimose shell can penetrate Russian armor plate. That, if true,

the government, according to an investigation said to have been made by Chinese Minister at Washington. A hundred commissions have been issued in this vicinity.

Skeleton in Mendip Cavern.
Reports have been made of the discovery of a human skeleton in a cavern at Cheddar. As relics of various ages are entombed in the Mendip caves, the evidence will be carefully scrutinized, so that it may be possible to determine the age of these human remains.

Organization of an Imperialist Army.
[Special by Scripps-McLain.]
London, June 3.—Imperial Chinese reform army for which General English of Yankton, South Dakota, has been recruiting officers from state militias of the United States, has been discovered to be a Chinese revolutionary society seeking to overthrow

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GETTING READY FOR THE AIR-SHIP TOURNAMENT AT S. T. LOUIS.

KANSAS AGAIN IS A FLOOD CENTER

Cottonwood and Neosho Rivers Are Rising Rapidly Near Florence.

[Special by Scripps-McLain.]

Emporia, Kansas, June 3.—The Cottonwood and Neosho Rivers are rising. In River Valley from here to Florence, sixty miles west to the Chanute, a hundred miles east it is one vast sea. Emporia is under water. Farmers in the bottom lands are being rescued.

Kansas City, June 3.—The Missouri River jumped a foot over night. The Kansas river is rising. Railroad communication is seriously impeded. Communication with Newton, Kansas, by telegraph and railway is broken.

Best Method of Lighting.
The best method of lighting artificially when the source of light is a bright one, is to place the light considerably above the head, holding the reading matter in such a position as to be illuminated as much by the reflected light from the surrounding surfaces as from the direct rays of the flame, thus creating an effect more nearly resembling "daylight" conditions.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRE.
Salt Lake police are searching for Henry Haxter Kingsley, a wealthy New Yorker, who disappeared last November, and who is believed to be in the vicinity of that city.

Willard H. Myers, bookkeeper for the National Safe Deposit, Savings and Trust Company of Washington, disappeared and is alleged to have stolen the proceeds of stocks valued at \$17,000.

The congressional merchant marine commission closed its sessions at Boston yesterday until after the Republican convention, when they will be resumed at Detroit, Cleveland and Buffalo.

Satisfactory trials were made by the submarine boat Falco at Newport, R. I. yesterday, torpedoes being fired while the boat was entirely submerged and with her conning tower above the surface.

Federal Judge Putnam of Boston yesterday ordered that Henry H. Rogers of New York be given until Sept. 10 to file an answer to the bill of complaint in the suit to recover property alleged to be due the Day State Gas Company.

Federal Judge F. E. Baker yesterday denied that the property of the Consumers' Gas Trust Company, organized by the citizens of Indianapolis to sell natural gas at cost, belonged to the certificate holders, and that the company had no right to manufacture artificial gas.

The Missouri Supreme Court yesterday decided that the state board of arbitration had no power to punish St. Louis livermen for contempt for refusing to testify regarding the recent strike, declaring this section of the law unconstitutional. This, it is said, practically nullifies the law.

The Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis was yesterday declared by the Missouri Supreme Court not to be a railroad under the law governing trunk lines, and the motion of Attorney General Crow for the withdrawal of its charter for alleged violation of the anti-trust law was denied.

DENEEN CHOSEN: ILLINOIS FIGHT

Secret Caucus Held This Afternoon Results in a Compromise Being Made.

[Special by Scripps-McLain.]

On the twenty-ninth ballot Deneen of Chicago was nominated amid great enthusiasm.

Springfield, Ill., June 3.—The convention assembled at ten fifteen and took recess until two this afternoon. The general opinion this morning is that nomination will be made some time today or tonight. Counties have begun switching which would indicate the end near. The persistent rumor that if Lowden fails to gain in next few ballots the Deneen and a large number of Yates votes will go to Hamilton.

At a conference of all candidates except Lowden this morning, according to one of the Yates leaders, it was agreed to throw all the Yates, Hamlin, Sherman, Warner and Pierce votes that can be controlled to Deneen. If this is carried out it insures nomination of Deneen on the 70th ballot.

At 3 P. M.
The conference of the Yates, Deneen, Hamlin, Sherman, Pierce men is just over. It is agreed to support Deneen. His nomination on the 70th ballot now seems certain.

WOULD RELEASE ALL SUSPECTS

Gillespie Prisoners Now Ask for Their Release on Special Writ.

[Special by Scripps-McLain.]

Lawrenceburg, Ind., June 3.—Proceedings looking to the release of James Gillespie from jail and Myron Barbour, his wife Carrier and Belle Barbour from the bond was instituted here today when a written habeas corpus was filed with Judge Downey. It asks the release of the defendants on the ground they already twice been placed in jeopardy, once when jury was sworn and again when all were placed on trial. If ruled against, the case will be taken to the Supreme court.

There Is a Difference.
"Many a man," said Uncle Eben, "has discovered to his sorrow that a gal don't 'ack nor ack do same when she's cookin' flap-jacks for breakfast as she does when she's dishin' 'ee cream at a strawberry festival.'"

Discovers Old Parchment.
The archivist of Montecassino has just discovered in that famous matter a parchment containing historical matter of importance hitherto unknown, and bearing upon the period of the struggle between Gregory VII and Henry IV.

Sells Moths and Butterflies.
Yorkshire, England, has a farm on which moths and butterflies are reared for sale. It is planted with trees and shrubs for the purpose. Forty thousand caterpillars are always on hand and orders can be filled at any time of the year.

ENGLISH CUP HAS TO CROSS WATER

Golf Championship Comes to America with Walter Travis, American Champion.

[Special by Scripps-McLain.]

Sandwich, Eng., June 3.—Walter Travis the American golf champion today won the final round in the amateur golf championship here, taking the trophy from British soil for the first time in history.

NEWS OF THE STATE IN BRIEF.

Mayer Hughes of Fond du Lac has signed an ordinance increasing the number of wards of that city from eight to sixteen.

Louis Jones, a Wellman, was killed by a westbound Milwaukee passenger train in the rear of the university barns at Madison.

W. C. Jenkins, for six years business manager of the Oshkosh Morning Times, announces that he has purchased the Kenosha Gazette and will take possession immediately.

The masons and bricklayers employed by T. C. McCarthy at the new car barns in Madison struck on Wednesday because two mason men were permitted to work on the job.

Two barns belonging to Hugo Schultz and Mrs. A. Zinth were destroyed by fire at Ripon. At one time it threatened a serious destruction of property in the business district.

The stranger who was found floating in the waters of Lake Mendota, at Madison, on May 28, has been identified as Magnus Jensen of Kenosha, who was employed as a laborer.

The fourth annual reunion of the St. Croix Valley Old Settlers' association was held on Thursday at Ellsworth. About fifty members from Hudson were in attendance, together with a number of others from St. Croix county points.

Fred H. Fuller, superintendent of the paper mills of the Kimberly-Clark company, at Niagara, Wis., has resigned to become superintendent of the three mills of the Hallingsworth & Whitney company of Bangor, Me. He will be succeeded at Niagara by Albert Tomlin.

NOT TO FORCE MEN INTO ARMY

English Will Not Introduce a System of Conscription.

London, June 3.—War Secretary Arnold-Forster, answering a question in the house of commons, said the government had no intention of proposing to parliament the introduction of a system of conscription, as recommended by the royal commission on the volunteer and militia forces.

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COOLLY ADMITS TO HIS CRIME

New Haven Cashier Tells the Bank Directors He Took the Missing Money.

FALSE ENTRIES MADE IN BOOKS

Speculated and Lost It All—Is Ready To Stay at Home and Take His Punishment as the Bank Directs.

New Haven, Conn., June 3.—Douglas M. Smith, who went to work for the National Tradesman's bank when he was only 15 years old, and who now is close to 40, is the self-confessed embezzler of \$30,000 of the bank's funds.

The money was lost in speculation, and the embezzler to-day is penniless. He has not profited in any way by his stealings, and all the bank will be able to recover is the \$15,000 bond by the Aetna Indemnity company of Hartford.

Anticipating that an examination of the bank's accounts would show his defalcation, Smith did not come to the bank, but instead sent a friend with a note saying that he would be short about \$30,000, or maybe more, in his accounts; that he had no funds to place at the disposal of the bank's directors, and that he was "willing to begin to serve whatever sentence may be imposed upon him."

Loose It in Bucket Shop.
He says he lost the money "speculating in a bucket shop." His method is

to have been to appropriate large deposits and cover the theft on the books by false entries. An officer of the bank said:

"The national bank examiner was here last September. It happened that our directors' committee made their examination a week later. That gave Smith more than eight months' opportunity to pilfer."

"Smith came to the bank when a boy of 15. He is now about 40 years old. He had been teller eight years, and his salary was \$2,700."

Temptation Gets Best Men.
Friends of Smith recall that when Asa C. Bushnell, cashier of the Yale National bank, committed suicide last December, upon being found a defaulter, Smith remarked:

"It is remarkable how temptation gets some of the best men in banks."

There is talk of a suit by the bank against Yeomans & Dill, with whom Smith says he speculated. This firm was the local agent of Ducklin & Co., who failed in Boston several months ago.

STRANGE LETTER ABOUT A MURDER

Man Writes From Paris, Illinois, That He Was Hired to Kill Miss Shaeffer.

[Special by Scripps-McLain.]

Bedford, Ind., June 3.—Mayor Smith has received an anonymous letter postmarked Paris, Illinois, stating the writer and another man were employed to kill Miss Shaeffer. After slaying the girl they drove to Hazzard's Cave, five miles west, where their clothing was substituted for their blood-stained garments. Officers were dispatched today to make a search of the underground chamber.

On information of important character which resulted this morning in issuing subpoenas of three prominent women of Harrodsburg. An officer was dispatched to serve summons.

GREAT DOINGS AT ST. LOUIS EXPO.

Both Indiana and Missouri Dedicate Their Respective Buildings at the Big Fair.

St. Louis, June 3.—The Missouri building at the fair was dedicated today with imposing ceremonies. Governor Doney led the military parade, and reviewed it from the steps of the Missouri building. After the exercises the governor and his wife held a reception. Governor Doney will dine the speakers and invited guests at six o'clock. Following the dinner comes a grand ball.

Indiana Day.
The Indiana building at the fair was formally dedicated this afternoon. Thousands of Indiana were present. After the military parade address of welcome by President Francis. Governor Doney delivered an address accepting the building.

Claims to Be Widow of W. C. Whitney.
Strange Woman Demands Share of Estate of the Late Millionaire—She May Be Demented.

Mineola, L. I., June 3.—A strange woman about 40 years of age and dressed in black appeared at the office of Surrogate Seabury and declared to Clerk Downing that she was the widow of the late William C. Whitney and wanted to know why her claim against the deceased millionaire had not been satisfied. The clerk informed her that there was no claim on file in the surrogate's office and advised her to place it with Harry Payne Whitney, the executor of New York.

The woman said she had mailed the claim to the surrogate by registered letter and had the receipt from the postoffice, but claimed she had left the receipt home when Clerk Downing asked her to produce it.

The only statement she would make was: "I am Mrs. William C. Whitney and married him June 10, 1900. My home is in Plainfield, N. J." She appeared to be demented.

Remove Scars From Wounds.
British officers are having the scars of face wounds removed by the use of light rays. The custom is rapidly growing of surgeons sending their patients to have the scars left by operations removed.

Farmer's Estate Goes to Pay Lawyer's Fees.
Negress Wins Suit for Property Left to Her by Father of White Girl—Little Is Left.

Jackson, Mich., June 3.—The John Stitt will case, which has been contested in the circuit court twice, was ended so far as this court is concerned. The jury sustained the will.

Stitt was a wealthy farmer of Jackson county who at death left his estate to a negro girl, Etta Michelson, instead of his own daughter, Mrs. Rose Whitney, the only direct heir. He also appointed Miss Michelson administratrix.

The will was contested on the ground of undue influence and was tried first last October, when the jury disagreed after being out forty-eight hours. Altogether the case occupied the attention of the court nine weeks, 146 witnesses testified and six of the best lawyers of central Michigan were employed. It is believed that when the costs of the case are paid there will be nothing left of the fortune.

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MYSTIC WORKERS COME NEXT WEEK

AN ELABORATE PROGRAM IS ARRANGED FOR THE MEETING.

IT IS A NOTED ORGANIZATION

Having a Membership of Many Thousand—Have Boomed the Janesville Meeting.

Elaborate preparations have already been made by the local lodge of Mystic Workers for the entertainment of a large crowd of visitors who will be in our city next Tuesday. At half past ten o'clock on Tuesday morning, June 7, the gavel in the hands of Acting Supreme Master Lein will fall in this city. The present promise is for a very large attendance on the fifth biennial supreme session of the order. The Mystic pilgrimage to this city will be inaugurated on next Sunday. The supreme secretary and others of the officers whose promptness in attendance is necessary, will arrive in the city Sunday.

Local Lodge Plans.
The members of the local lodge in this city have been doing tall work, and now report all in readiness. Committees have been drilled to a certain degree of perfection. Headquarters have been prepared and everything possible to insure the comfort and pleasure of the visitors has been done. Incoming trains on June 7th will be met by a badge-wearing force of ladies and gentlemen, the reception and information committees. The following are the chairmen of their respective committees: Hall, C. W. Wisch; hotels, O. S. Morse; General Information and correspondence, J. W. Boyes; reception, J. D. Davey; entertainment, Mrs. Emma Morse; printing, D. D. Davey. The headquarters of the supreme officers will be at the Grand hotel.

The following program has been arranged:

Tuesday Morning Session.
Invocation—Rev. C. C. Denison, pastor of the Congregational church.
Address of welcome, Mayor J. F. Hutchinson.
Address of welcome—J. F. Lynch.
Response—Acting Master George Lein.
Adjournment.
The regular business session will begin on Tuesday afternoon, with Acting Master Lein in the chair.

Opening of the Supreme Lodge in due form.
Reports of committees on credentials.
Report of the supreme master.
Report of the supreme secretary.
Report of the supreme banker.
Report of the supreme medical examiner.
Report of the general attorney.
Report of directors.
Adjournment to 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Tuesday Evening.
On Tuesday evening a social session and entertainment under the direction of the local lodge, to which the general public as well as the Mystics are invited. Prefect Lynch will preside. The program will be as follows:
Address—Hon. Jackson, Viroqua, Wis.
Art Talk—Mrs. B. F. Lichtenberger, Chicago.
Music—Lyrie Male Quartette.
Address—Lion, Jerry Green, Davenport, Iowa.
Address—Mr. E. F. Henney, Horton, Kansas.
Music—Orchestra.
Address—Albert Chinn, Hillsboro, Michigan.
Address—Dr. G. C. Hammersley, Campbell, Mo.

Wednesday Morning.
Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock another business session will be held at which time officers will be elected; reports of committees read, and revision of laws discussed. For the evening the supreme officers have arranged for the presence of the crack uniform team from Davenport to be present on that day and this fully equipped body of young men will give an exhibition drill and march. The company consists of twenty-two men, including officers and bugler. There will be no regular business session on Wednesday evening but the Davenport team will give a pleasing indoor exhibition. There will also be present that evening one of the best lady degree teams within the order, from elsewhere than Wisconsin, who will exemplify the floor work and give the winning feature, a wand drill.

Thursday Morning.
On Thursday morning the closing meeting will be held. Reports of committees will be read, miscellaneous business transacted, and the newly elected officers will be installed. Whether a delegate or not, every Mystic has a cordial invitation to attend the business sessions, will be held in the auditorium of the Y. M. C. A. building, which immediately opposite the official headquarters.

IS WHIPPLE A GOOSE OR A GANDER—A QUESTION ONLY

Beloit Free Press Pays a Line City Policemen a Back-Handed Compliment.

Night Officer Cash Whipple has the prize goose, and we have Cash's statement with his hand raised that up to 2 o'clock this afternoon she has laid forty-seven eggs. Last year the goose laid forty-eight. This is about eight times as many as the average goose lays. This challenge bird was a gift to the family, and is a great pet and until this spring was the one goose

A Revelation to Cereal Coffee Drinkers.

Is the famous Knapp Malt Coffee, which is everywhere in Europe. Cereal Coffee drinkers will be surprised to find how much superior the Knapp Malt Coffee is to any they have ever tried. Delicious flavor, delightful aroma, wonderfully beneficial effects, will explain why thirty million pounds of Knapp Malt Coffee were sold in Europe last year. Try this great feature of the wonderful Knapp Curo and you'll understand the reason of its marvelous success. Costs no more, ask your dealer.

on the farm, excepting Cash, and thinking that the bird was worthy of a companion, Cash bought or otherwise secured a lovely gander for his farm and now a fine flock of geese is the delight of the place.

Poultry men want Mr. Whipple to send the goose to the St. Louis fair and claim the world's championship on her egg record, but Cash does not care for glory—he would rather have geese.—Beloit Free Press.

AMONG THE WORLD'S WORKERS

News Notes From Various Sources of Great Interest to the Workingman.

Union bricklayers and stonemasons at Madison, Wis., are striking for an eight-hour day. Although the majority of building trades unions in Madison are now employed on an eight-hour basis, contractors are resisting the efforts of the bricklayers and stonemasons to secure the same right.

A plan by which the centralization of the entire labor movement in the city may be brought about will shortly be submitted to the Allied Provisional trade council of San Francisco, Cal.

Extended experiments in Paris, France, show that in a given period of labor the total quantity produced is increased by intervals of rest, especially when short resting intervals are multiplied. Rest acts as a stimulant.

A movement is on foot to combine the nine bricklayers' unions in Manhattan and the Bronx; 9,000 men are involved.

It is proposed to close all flint glass factories for three months, from June 15 to September 15. The plan is proposed to prevent overstocking the market and to permit manufacturers to dispose of stock on hand, and it is expected the union of flint glass workers will coincide.

The iron moulders' international union has appointed a label agent for the Dominion. He is now in the east and is working his way westward. According to the officers of the organization the label is now being placed on large numbers of stoves and ranges as well as on heavy hardware.

Painters and laborers in the ship building industry in the north of England have made a demand for a 10 per cent. increase in pay.

Three big furnaces of the works of the Illinois Steel Co., at South Chicago, were closed down, throwing 700 men out of employment.

Trades unions have existed in China for 4,000 years.

Industry is menaced in Chicago by two impending strikes, either of which will have a wide and disastrous effect. Freight handlers, with a stronger and more disciplined force than that which tied up shipping here two years ago, are preparing to demand \$2 a day. Machinists threaten to strike also.

PLAN A BIG PICNIC FOR THE PYTHIANS

Knights and Their Friends Living Within Fifty Miles of Rockford, To Be Invited in July.

Knights of Pythias of Rockford are planning for a big picnic to be held some time during the coming month. All lodges within a radius of fifty miles will be asked to participate. At a meeting of Arthur Guinevere lodge, Tuesday evening, the initial steps were taken and a committee consisting of James Geraghty, Sam Palmer and William Hoffman, was appointed to take hold of the work. Invitations will not be confined solely to members of the order but friends of members will be asked to participate and it is anticipated that from fifteen to twenty thousand visitors will be attracted to the Forest City. Further arrangements will be made this evening. It is probable that Oriental Lodge of Janesville will join heartily in the movement.

WEDDING OF LAKE FOREST COUPLE

Solemnized at Robert Lilburn's Home in Emerald Grove—Geo. Finley and Anna Anderson.

At high noon Wednesday, George Finley and Anna Anderson, both of Lake Forest, Ill., were wedded at the home of Robert Lilburn in Emerald Grove. The ceremony was performed by Rev. James G. K. McClure of Chicago. Twenty-five guests enjoyed the luncheon served by Mrs. Louise Bowman of Janesville. The bride is a daughter of a Chicago banker and the groom is overseer at large of the wholesale dry good house of J. V. Farwell & Co. Among the guests present at the wedding ceremonies were Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Stiles, and James Anderson, all of Chicago.

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News for the Railroad Men.

Engineer L. M. Gessellin has returned from his trip to California.

Engineer A. B. Carver is off duty for a few days on account of sickness.

Fireman George Madden, on the Rockford-Watertown passenger run is duty for a few days.

An Open Meeting: The Good Templars will hold an open meeting at their hall Friday evening, June 3, to which the public is cordially invited. A musical and literary program will be rendered. No charge for admission.

TO BE OR NOT TO BE, THE QUESTION

IS JANESVILLE TO HAVE FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION?

MASS MEETING THIS EVENING

Everyone Interested in the Movement Should Be Present to Discuss the Question.

Is Janesville to have a Fourth of July celebration this year or not? This seems to be the question which is bothering many of the merchants about the city today. The general spirit is that a celebration would be a good thing for the city and would attract a lot of people to Janesville who would otherwise go to some other city for a celebration. The reputation of Janesville has for carrying a celebration to a successful end is well known throughout the county and many of the small towns would send good sized delegations if a celebration was to be held here.

Meet Tonight.
There is to be a mass meeting tonight in the city hall at which all citizens who are interested in a celebration are asked to be present so that the matter can be fully discussed and definitely decided upon, and the matter settled one way or the other. It is probable that a celebration will be decided upon by the meeting and committees appointed to discuss the methods and means of the proposed celebration.

Some Plans.
Some of the plans discussed on the streets today are that the celebration take the form of a street fair with parades, side shows and a general jollification including the old time games, greased pig, chasings, climbing the greased pole, reading of the Declaration of Independence, a parade, both military and civic and plenty of band music.

Of General Interest.
So much interest has been shown thus far in the plans projected that a good sized meeting to discuss matters is expected and every citizen interested is desired to be present so that he may state his own opinion.

Real Estate Transfers.

Alfred M. Schroeder and wife to Maria C. Walman, \$5000.00, Lot 17, 18-1 Blodgett & Kings Add. Beloit, Vol. 1654d.

Harriet L. Swain to John C. Puffer, \$2000.00, Pt. Lot 11, Spencer's Add. Evansville, Ind. pt. E2 of SW1/4 S27-1-10, Vol. 1654d.

Grace L. Rosa and Hattie M. Chamberlain to Emma L. Chamberlain, \$5000.00, Lot 18-2, Chamberlain's Add. Beloit, Vol. 1654d.

George E. Fatzinger to Wm. A. Shalts and Charles S. Shalts, \$1000.00, Pt. NW1/4 S25 Janesville, Vol. 1654d.

Peter E. Nuses to J. J. Cunningham, \$1200.00, Pt. Lot 7, Prospect Add. Janesville, Vol. 1654d.

Louis Raubenheimer and wife to F. D. Hesel and C. H. Hansen, \$350.00, Lot 17 Kenwood Heights Beloit, Vol. 1654d.

Grace L. Rosa and Charles D. Rosa, to Emma L. Chamberlain, \$1000.00, Lot 19, 20-2 Chamberlain Add. Beloit, Vol. 1654d.

Central Land Co. to Anton Henslow, \$1900.00, 5 acres off E2 of SW1/4 S27-2-12, Vol. 1654d.

Charles E. Swain to John C. Puffer, \$600.00, Pt. Lot 11 Spencer's Add. Evansville, Vol. 1654d.

Porter B. Yates and wife to Mary R. Merriam, \$286.00, Pt. lot 20, 21, 22-2 Yates Add. Beloit, Vol. 1654d.

Porter B. Yates and wife to Mary R. Merriam, \$325.00, Lot 28-2 Yates Add. Beloit, Vol. 1654d.

Attention Comrades.

Hedges Post No. 20, G. A. R. Janesville, June 3, 1904. Special Orders No. 3.

All members of this Post are requested to meet at headquarters Saturday evening, June 4, at 6:55, in readiness to march in a body at 7 o'clock sharp to the residence of P. S. Fenton, No. 125 Madison St., there to be served supper and entertained socially on invitation of Comrade Fenton and family, in commemoration of the loss of this arm in battle, forty years ago. Those especially invited will please join and march with the Post. By order of Robert Scott, Commander. C. D. Child, Adjutant.

OF MONEYBAK TAFFETAS.

To a yoke formed of bias bands fastened to shape the bouffant blouse is shirred, and this shirring is repeated in the cuff which meets the long shoulder puff. Although many rows of shirring are required, the oscillating stitch of the sewing machine produces the effect satisfactorily. The fronts are decorated with whorl designs executed in flexible black braid, and these reappear on the fitted belt. The skirt is deeply pleated to the waistband, the pleats stitched down for a short distance and then left to flare. The skirt is finished with a plainstitched hem.

**BELOIT WILL NOT
GIVE UP PICNIC
FOR MILWAUKEE**

Modern Woodmen Do Not Approve of the Milwaukee Plan for Next Year.

Beloit will not relinquish her claim to the big annual picnic of the association of Modern Woodmen of Northern Illinois and Southern Wisconsin, voted to Beloit for 1905," was the statement made by John A. Love, of Beloit, secretary of the organization formed for that event by the camps here. "Milwaukee has asked for the event, but her request is too late as Beloit has already taken the preliminary steps for the picnic and we will not now surrender the event in favor of Milwaukee. It would be a fine thing to have a picnic at Milwaukee, at the same time as the meeting of the head camp next year, but that will be big enough event itself without the co-operation of our picnic."

This statement made by Mr. Love would seem to answer finally the claim made that the 1905 picnic might be transferred to Milwaukee and held in conjunction with the meeting of the head camp. At the picnic at Madison yesterday representatives of the Milwaukee Citizens' Business League, professional convention seekers, made quite an impression upon the executive committee of the association, but as the event had already been voted to Beloit, it cannot now be changed unless this city withdraws, an act which is unlikely as shown by the statements of Mr. Love this morning.

**MAROONS WON BY
A NARROW MARGIN**

In Baseball Game with the Chicago Union Giants Yesterday—Final Score 6 to 5.

In spite of the threatening weather a crowd of four hundred people saw the "Colored gentlemen from Chicago" go down to defeat at the hands of the Clinton Maroons yesterday afternoon. The final score was 6 to 5. Prospects looked dubious at the start as the Union Giants made four runs in the first inning. But in the third and fourth the Clinton men got in their work and the visitors abandoned vaudeville stunts and played the game. The grounds were in bad condition and the contest degenerated into water polo at second base. The teams play again in Clinton this afternoon.

The lineup yesterday was as follows: Clinton—Fields, 2d b. Mussy, 1. f. Rehland, s. s. Newman, 1st b. Perling, 3d b. Cole, c. f. Fulton, c. f. Pyle, c. Bowley, p.

Giants—Talberg, 2d b. Barthe, 1. f. Toney, s. s. Ross, 1st b. Hyde, 3d b. Ross, c. f. Greene, c. f. Benze, c. Minz, p.

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—BY—
Christian Science

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SMALL CHANCES FOR A VICTORY

University Athletes Are Stale From Overtraining, and Useless.

If the badgers win more than a dozen points in the western intercollegiate athletic meet, Saturday, at Marshall Field, in Chicago, it will surprise careful observers of the Wisconsin athletes. The badgers have been over trained and have "gone stale." Captain Edgar McEachron, the little two-mile runner, who was scheduled to defeat Kellogg in the long trot, is on the verge of collapse. The best that his friends say of him is that he has a fighting chance of winning second place, but none now have any hope that he will defeat Kellogg of Michigan. Post who early in the season was running near the record in the mile, and who in fact broke the indoor record for this distance was forced a week ago to temporarily discontinue work on the track, but has recovered some form and is still the basis of some badger hopes. Sarlatids, the Greek hurdler, over the high sticks, has stopped training for the past week and will doubtless fall to compete at Chicago. This, however, is through no fault or error of judgment on the part of Coach Kilpatrick. Sarlatids did not train faithfully all spring and he sustained a "condition" in one one study and was otherwise deficient in class work and failed to apply himself with diligence to his books. Madison critics now express the opinion that the half-mile race will be the greatest contest of the meet and that Breitkreutz the badger, has a good show to defeat Catlin of Chicago.

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Accuse Women of Perjury.
Milwaukee, Wis., June 2.—Anna Kautz, sister of Marcus Kautz, bankrupt Chicago cap manufacturer, who has disappeared, and Martha Peterson, her maid, were arraigned in the United States court on charges of perjury.

Pays \$508,709 to State.
Springfield, Ill., June 2.—The Illinois Central railroad paid to the state as charter tax for the six months ended April 30, 1904, \$508,709.76, the amount being the largest ever paid for that particular period.

Falls From Train.
Colorado Springs, Colo., June 2.—James F. Cronin, whose home is believed to be at Providence, R. I., fell from a Colorado & Southern train near this city and sustained probably fatal injuries.

Fall Kills Bank President.
Toledo, Ohio, June 2.—George W. Davis, organizer and for over forty years president of the Second National bank is dead. Death was the result of a fall down stairs in the bank.

An Animal Story For Little Folks
The Swimming School

The bullfrog sat upon a rock
And croaked and croaked and croaked:
"I'm tired of banking work; I'm tired.
More useful I will be.

"I'll stop this croaking all day long.
With greenbacks all around."
And then he left the bank and walked
Until a duck he found.

"I, too, am sick of croaking round,"
Said Doctor Duck, with vim.
"Let's start a swimming school and teach
The birds to float and swim."

Said Mr. Frog: "I'll teach the birds
To dive and swim, no doubt.
And you can float and swim as well.
'Twill be the best thing out."

They built a bath house large and bright
Down by a running stream
And hung up placards all around
To advertise the scheme.

The sparrow, crow and robin came,
With oriole and jay,
And all were entered on the books
For lessons every day.



"I'll teach the birds to dive!"
The frog stood on the rock and cried,
"Now, pupils, dive like me!"
Then sprang eight feet into the air
And came down gracefully.

The duck said, "You must float like this."
And he glided all about.
The birds then all jumped in at once,
And none of them got out.

In vain the teachers tried to teach,
But every bird they found
Could not be taught to swim like them,
And every scholar drowned.

A Sadly Mercenary View.
"You say that you do not favor an increase of the salaries of members of either house of congress?"

"That is my position," replied Senator Sorghum. "If the salary gets large enough to amount to anything some of my friends among the corporations may assume that I ought to be satisfied with it and not expect any further consideration from them."

Many a man makes his debut on the broad road to ruin through a narrow side door.

Occasionally a young man wakes up fresh as a daisy, and his freshness continues all day.

A man may think himself superior to a hen, yet a hen can sit on an egg without swearing.

When a man knows he is a fool he knows more than some people give him credit for knowing.

Some men are so self-important that they imagine their weight on one side of the globe causes the other side to tip up.

Husband Now Wipes the Dishes.
A Luray man objected to doing the chores around the house and attempted to show by quoting the scriptures that such duties belonged to the women. His wife replied by quoting Kings, xli, 31: "I will wipe out Jerusalem as a man wipeth a dish, wiping it and turning it upside down." The man has since done his share of the work.—Luray (Va.) Correspondent of the Baltimore Herald.

Wages in Scotland.
The rate of wages a week in Scotland may be roughly stated at \$5 for laborers and \$10 for artisans.

COWS TRAINED FOR THE TEST

Jerseys at the World's Fair Are Expected to Show That They Are Superior to All Other Breeds.

The herd of Jersey cows assembled at the World's Fair at St. Louis to represent the Jersey breed in the universal dairy test has been inspected and has been pronounced in perfect condition and ready to start upon their six months' grind on a day's notice.

W. H. Spann of the Burr Oak Jersey farm, Dallas, Tex., was the inspector, and he was thorough in his work. He passed a week on the Exposition grounds, and much of the time was spent in and around the Jersey cattle barn, and the condition of each individual of the herd of forty cows was definitely ascertained.

Never was more intelligent and careful treatment lavished on animals. No athlete was ever better trained for a contest requiring the development of speed, skill and endurance than has been this herd of Jerseys. When it is known that this herd is to compete with selected herds of Holsteins, Short-horns, Brown Swisses and Devons, and the herd making the best score for the production of butter, milk and cheese is to establish the standing of the various breeds, the importance of the cows being in perfect condition may be understood.

For a solid year the Jerseys have been in constant training. Twenty-five cows will participate in the contest. Cows were selected from the best herds in the United States.

Dr. J. J. Richardson, president of the American Jersey Cattle Club, under whose auspices this entry is made, toured Europe and visited the famed Isle of Jersey, where the breed originated. He was seeking the best cows, but returned satisfied that Europe could show no cows that were better than those bred in America.

Though only twenty-five cows will participate in the test, forty cows were selected. They were assembled at Jerseyville, Ill., a year ago. This is near St. Louis, and the cattle have become acclimated. Last December they were removed to St. Louis. The cows are the property of individual members of the club and are loaned for the term of the test. C. T. Graves, a breeder at Matland, Mo., was selected as the superintendent to have charge of the cattle, and he has been highly commended by Dr. Richardson and Inspector Spann for the wonderful fine condition in which he has placed the herd.

A series of model dairy barns have been built for the breeds competing in the test. The barns are octagonal in form, and are so arranged that the cows are in the center and a wide promenade permits visitors to pass around and view the cows as they stand in their stalls.

The milking and feeding are to be done in plain view of the public, and representatives of the various herds will at all times have access to all the barns to see that no sharp practices are indulged in.

The test not only consists in showing the amount of butter, milk and cheese produced, but the cost of production is taken into consideration. Every ounce of food given each cow is weighed and carefully recorded. When the cows are milked, the milk is conveyed to a model creamery in the Agricultural building, where it is tested and made into butter and cheese and where all records are carefully kept.

The Jersey cattle participated in a similar test at Chicago during the Columbian Exposition and carried off first honors.

Superintendent Graves is sanguine over the result of the present test. He says that the Jerseys have always demonstrated their superiority over all other breeds when placed in competition, and this time they will show to better advantage than ever. Not only is the Jersey milk richer in butter fat than the milk of any other breed, says Mr. Graves, but it can be produced at a less cost. The Jersey cows are the smallest of the standard breeds, and he asserts that they consume less feed. They assimilate their food, and it is converted into milk and butter and is not used in building up and sustaining a large carcass.

"We are going to make all other breeds take to the woods after this test," said Mr. Graves. "A few days ago I was testing some of our Jersey milk, and my hands were all sticky and greasy from the enormous amount of butter fat the milk contained. Mr. Von Heyne, who is in charge of the Holsteins, sent over a quantity of his milk for me to test. Of course, from a commercial standpoint, there was no comparison between the milk, but it was a pleasure to test his milk, for when I got through there was no grease on my hands. After this I will have a bucket of Holstein milk around handy to wash my hands in after testing our own rich Jersey milk."

The test begins May 10 and continues 120 days.

Unique California Map.
A unique exhibit at the World's Fair was prepared by the agricultural department of the University of California. It is a large map, so colored as to show the character of the various soils of the state. It gives a clear idea of the situation and the extent of the arable and tillable sections. In the localities that cannot be cultivated are shown the Sierras, the lava beds and the desert. The map indicates the location of the cultivable portions of the mountains and Mohave plateau and shows the nature of the foothills and valleys of that wonderful state.

Freedom of City for Curzon.
London, June 2.—At a meeting of the lord mayor and corporation it was decided to confer the freedom of the city on Lord Curzon of Kedleston in recognition of the ability and zeal he has displayed as viceroy of India.

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Davenport, 1; Cedar Rapids, 0.
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Fear Bread Riots.
Montreal, Que., June 2.—Bread riots are imminent here unless the thousands of Italians who have flocked in from Europe, New York, Boston and other large cities of the United States can be fed at once.

No Overcrowding At St. Louis.
Ample Accommodations at Reasonable Rates.
The alarming and altogether erroneous reports which have been circulated from time to time regarding the probable overcrowding of visitors to the Exposition and the lack of accommodations may be entirely discarded, as the arrangements which have been made in the Cascade City are such as to provide good accommodations and entertainment for all who come.

Chief among the prominent hostilities which have opened their hospitable doors is The Inside Inn, situated actually within the grounds of the Exposition itself and erected under the supervision of the World's Fair Management. It is three stories in height, is 100 feet wide, 500 feet long and contains 2,277 rooms in addition to its barbers and waiting-rooms and a dining-room and restaurant, seating 2,500. The inside Inn is under the direct management of Mr. E. M. Stalker, the well-known caterer of Buffalo, who maintains a high-class and uniform cuisine and service for everyone of his guests.

The Inside Inn is run on both the European and American plans at rates ranging from \$1.50 to \$5.50 per day, European and from \$3.00 to \$7.00, American, including admission in both classes. The range of prices being solely controlled by the size and location of the rooms.

EXPLOSION INJURES WORKERS

Men and Girls Are Hurt in Wreck of Akron, O., Building.

Akron, O., June 2.—In an explosion at the plant of the H. P. Goodrich company half a dozen people were injured, some seriously. The door of a steam chest, weighing about a ton, was blown off and it struck a pillar supporting the floor above. A portion of the upper floor fell with a number of employees. Among the more seriously injured are Rose Lohr, Sadie Ronch, C. D. Keyes, Robert Dornmer and Roy Ansley. Nobody was fatally injured.

Cardies Strat Riot.
Marquette, Wis., June 2.—A small riot took place on the links of the Riverdale Golf club. The cardies made a demand for an increase of from 10 to 15 cents an hour. When it was refused, they held a council of war, and proceeded to pelt the players with stones and clubs.

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Janesville Daily Gazette, Friday, June 2, 1864.—Good Thing. The times of the streets in the city, which were procured by the common council, are being put up today in some localities. A good many people will soon know the name of the street they live on—a gratifying accession to their fund of information.

From the 8th Regiment. From a private letter just received by a lady in this city we learn that the 8th regiment was in quite a severe fight near Simsport, La., on the 18th of May. A force of rebels gave the 16 corps battle when falling back from Alexandria and got whaled for their pains, losing 250 prisoners. The 8th had three officers wounded: Capt. C. P. King, Lieut. McClure (since dead), and another, name not given. There were thirty privates wounded, but none killed.

Sabbath Schools. Mr. Cheney, of Emerald Grove, a whole-souled Christian, and a great lover of children, is doing his share for the coming state Sabbath school convention. He has already been here twice to sing with them and promised to come twice more. All the children who desire to

FATAL FOLDING BED ACCIDENT.
Banker's Wife Dies as Result of Having Her Vertebrae Crushed.

Minneapolis, Minn., June 2.—Mrs. A. M. Woodward, wife of the president of the South Side State bank, is dead as the result of a fatal folding bed accident. Three vertebrae of the neck were crushed, and other serious injuries made it impossible for the surgeons to save her life.

The accident happened after midnight while Mrs. Woodward was asleep.

Early in the morning the bed suddenly closed. Mr. Woodward was unhurt, and managed to get one hand

attend the meetings for them during the convention week will meet him on Sabbath afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the Methodist church. He has always something good to say as well as to sing. Let the church be packed.

Accidental Death. Charles Walker, a brakeman on a freight train, which left here last night at 12:30 going north, when about three miles north of this city, fell in endeavoring to pass from one car to another and was, to all appearances, instantly killed.

His body is but little bruised and it is supposed that he must have been struck by the brake in the temple. He is a brother of the freight agent at Milton Junction, and his remains were taken to that place. He was a young man of good habits, and was well liked by his employers. His untimely death is sincerely regretted by all who knew him.

Money Received. I have just received a package of \$275 from the 12th battery and others. Those entitled to it will please call at once and when they can conveniently bring the change for the express charges which are thirty-five cents for \$100. G. R. Curtis, People's Drug store.

out the side of the closed bed, and by pounding availed the other occupants of the home.

A consultation of surgeons determined that an operation alone could relieve the pressure on the spinal cord and save Mrs. Woodward's life. Two surgeons performed the operation. A slight improvement was followed by a collapse, resulting in death.

SEEKS ATTITUDE OF POWERS
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Rome, June 2.—It is announced that the pope, to avoid another mistake

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NATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS.

Every nation has its peculiar characteristics, and the war now going on in the east makes prominent these features in the nations involved. Japan has long been recognized as a progressive people, ambitious to possess the best methods for national progress and advancement. They are great imitators, and as many of their brightest men were educated in American colleges, it is natural for the nation to copy freely from our methods. Thirty-five years ago a commission, with the present great statesman Marquis Ito, at its head, made a tour of the world in search of information concerning the best financial system for the nation to adopt. They were so favorably impressed with American finance that the Japanese government voted to introduce it, and an order was placed with Henry Claws, the noted New York banker, to get up the currency and bonds engraved in various denominations, similar to those of the United States government.

Mr. Claws has been in close touch with the nation for many years, and in a recent letter he says of the people:

The success of the Japanese in the present war with Russia is due to their great zeal. What they undertake to do they generally do with great earnestness of purpose, which calls forth sacrifice, energy, courage and determination. The concentration of all these qualities is the basis of success in all undertakings, whether large or small. The success of the Japanese is easily accounted for also by the fact that they love their emperor as a people; they are willing to fight for him and to die for him, added to which they are fatalists and are not afraid to face death on the battlefield, because they firmly believe that the next world is better than this, and therefore to die in a good cause, especially in fighting for the salvation of their country, secures a high and honorable position there. Against these characteristics, which back the Japanese in the present war, their antagonists, the Russians, fear their emperor, and under the autocratic rule of the nation the soldiers are very often put into the army through force and kept there. There is a vast difference, therefore, on the battlefield in the fighting qualities of soldiers who are backed by love of their emperor and soldiers who are backed by fear of their emperor. Then, again, the discipline of the Japanese soldiers is of a more intelligent and up-to-date order than that of the Russians. Each regiment in Japan is comprised of 400 men with a captain in command, who carries a sword. Their training provides that if anything should happen to the captain and his sword should fall to the ground it must be taken up on the instant by the next in rank, and if anything should happen to him the next in rotation takes his place, and so on all the way through to the last man, and each man to the end of the 400 is capable of picking up the sword and commanding with it, which also means to continue the fight until the last man in each regiment is killed or disabled; in other words, the fight is never to be given up except by total extinction. As an evidence of the interest and earnestness of the Japanese people it is customary among the tradespeople, whenever a family that they have been supplying with the necessities of life is deprived of the father of the family in consequence of his going to the war, to continue to supply all their

needs the same as before and without sending any bill therefor. It is pretty difficult, therefore, for the Russians, notwithstanding that they so largely outnumber the Japanese, to whip such a determined, forceful people either on land or sea.

THE PANAMA CANAL.

The American Inventor has compiled the following interesting figures on the Panama canal:
Estimated cost of the Panama canal—\$200,000,000.
Amount paid French company for the title, \$10,000,000.
Amount paid Panama government for perpetual lease of canal lands, \$10,000,000.

Length of canal, 46 miles.
Canal width varies from 250 to 500 feet at the top, the bottom width being 150 feet.

There will be five twin locks of concrete masonry, each lock 738 feet long and 82 feet wide, with a lifting capacity of 30 to 32 feet.
Lake Bolso (artificial) covers 31 square miles.

Alhajuela Lake (artificial) covers 5,000 acres, and will furnish motive power for operating the locks and lighting the canal from ocean to ocean.

Distance from New York to San Francisco by old route, 12,711 miles; by the route through the canal, 5,299 miles.

Distance from New York to Manila by present route via San Francisco and Yokohama, 19,530 miles.

Distance from New York to Manila by Panama Canal via San Francisco and Yokohama, 11,555 miles.

Distance saved in a sailing trip around the world by the new route through the Panama canal, 2,768 miles.

The Panama canal was practically begun in 1883 by the French company. They had completed about two-fifths of the length, when because of fraudulent management the company failed, and the work ceased in 1889.

If it were possible to widen the breach within the ranks of the republican party, the governor's organ would succeed in its persistent efforts. The paper tries the case and pronounces a verdict in every issue. This is characteristic of La Follette.

With Mr. Hearst out of the way, as a candidate, the democratic party is in a fair way to unite along conservative lines. This is a good thing for the party as well as for the country. Bryanism and populism have run rampant too long for the good of the nation.

The Wall Street Journal, published morning and evening, is the best financial paper in the land. It contains all the news pertaining to stocks, with a daily summary of transactions. Its editorial page is strong and vigorous, and not biased by surroundings. The paper has a liberal clientele in all parts of the country.

The question of another fire station, as recommended by the chief, is worthy of careful consideration. It will, of course, add to the expense of the department, but it will also contribute largely to protection of property.

If the gymnasium convention had a clear majority of two, as is now claimed, why were so many contests filed and what was the object of antagonizing the opposing element. An honest majority of two was all that was necessary.

Thousands of republicans throughout the state, who care more for party welfare than for men, will be influenced by the action of the supreme court, and republican national committee.

Why is the republican party of the state in its present condition? It is certainly not the fault of the party or a majority of its members. There is but one man in the state responsible, and he is carrying altogether too much of a load.

The World's Fair craze has struck Portland, Oregon, and a raid will be made on the national treasury for support next year. It is about time for the government to call a halt on this class of investments.

The republican national committee is composed of statesmen, and men of wide experience. That they will act intelligently and without prejudice, in the Wisconsin case, is generally conceded.

The question of justice should be carefully considered by all thoughtful republicans, before a verdict is rendered on the state contest. The future as well as the present is involved.

The action of the common council instructing the street commissioner to provide a garbage wagon, will be approved by public sentiment. A cleanly city is not only desirable, but necessary to good health.

Threats are no longer in order. They never carry much weight as an argument, and they are frequently troublesome propositions to meet later. There will be plenty of time for deliberate action, and nothing will be gained by hasty statements or rash judgment.

PRESS COMMENT.

Oshkosh Northwestern: At the same time it must make some of the Wisconsin friends of Mr. Wall hot under the collar to have those western papers keep on shouting, "Who the Milwaukee is he?"
Superior Telegram: Iowa is bound

to get ahead of Wisconsin. The Wisconsin students want examinations done away with by the president, but the law says the president himself done away with.

La Crosse Leader-Press: The election of secretary George B. Corbell as chairman of the republican national committee, to be made on suggestion of President Roosevelt, is expected to mean an honest campaign at least from the republican side of the fence.

Exchange: A Cleveland woman who tripped in a store has sued the proprietor for \$10,000. Those shopping trips made by women always are a great expense to somebody.

Manitowish Advocate: Ever watch a woman talking into a telephone? It so, bet you two bits you never saw one say "yes" without nodding her head at the phone.

El Paso Herald: Talking about Beveridge's favorite theory, about the blonde races conquering the world, it may be mentioned in the most parenthetical way that the Koreans are frequently fair haired and big and blonde. And the Koreans could not lick a postage stamp.

Orseo Recorder: Editor Showers, editor of the Onalaska Record, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. Brother Showers was a good newspaperman and will be missed in the district.

Cincinnati Commercial Tribune: Governor La Follette, of Wisconsin, may have worked on a railroad when he was a young man, all right, but he is switching on the wrong track just now.

Green Bay Gazette: A Fond du Lac woman has died as a result of treatment for the removal of freckles. Still that isn't much worse than what happens to the man who seeks to dissipate his troubles by filling himself up with whisky.

Grant County Herald: We have just received word from the president that the liberty bell will not be brought to Lancaster in its tour of the Louisiana purchase. He says if he brought it here Plattville would hear freedom shrieking and be jealous and they have too much freedom down there now.

Atchison Globe: An Atchison woman often asks her friends, "Why don't you come to see me?" She is being neglected, solely because she waits to her friends when they do go to see her. She is a good woman, but does not know that she bores her friends by waiting.

Racine Journal: Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis in a late sermon, declared in time riches would be held as a measure of vulgarity and says the society of today is rapidly going to the bad. But will people heed the Rev. Hillis?

Gillett Times: "From this hour the light is on," quoth Spectacular La Follette. Yes, and when the Hon. M. G. Jeffris of Rock ("Old Rock") county "hits" his trail and brings to bay the mighty pursuer of the Money Devil, the damndest bear fight in the present annals of Wisconsin will have been recorded, we suspect.

Richland Center Observer: After the Federation of Women's clubs and passed a resolution thanking the United States senate for investigating the fight of Senator Reed Smoot, of Utah, to seat in that body the discovery was made that the lady delegate from Utah was also of the Mormon faith. "Wasn't that perfectly awful?"

El Paso Herald: Somebody estimates that fully 600 million dollars have been given to the cause of education in this country in the last decade. But most of it went into bricks and mortar and little into teachers' salaries. One of these philanthropists will wake up some day to the fact that we already have about enough college buildings to do for a few years and will put his benefactions at work otherwise; and then the people will rise up and call him blessed, even if he does not get his name on the front wall of an imitation Gothic pile of stone and steel.

Eau Claire Leader: Northern Wisconsin is the most delightful part of the United States. It charms every one, so infinite its variety. It is the place for the farmer, the merchant, the policeman and the sportsman. It is the hunter's paradise. It would delight Gordon Cumming himself. Just fancy a region where only a few miles from a populous city like Oshkosh Falls, wolves attack and maully kill a farmer while he is crossing one of his fields. A man is seen paddling young wolf cubs at \$2 each on one of the principal streets of Eau Claire, while only two blocks away a hethoven symphony is being rehearsed. Extremes meet in this favored region.

Ashland Press: This is a peaceful year. Everybody is peaceable. There is harmony in the air. The air is so thick with harmony, that you can cut it with a knife. The lion and the lamb lie down together. Happy lamb. The era of good feeling which prevailed during the administration of James Monroe, has returned. Partisans are no longer partisans. Whoever men are confronted with problems on which they might possibly disagree, they mutually concede and come together. They are coming together all over the state. So vigorous is the coming together, that the shock of the coming is heard afar. La Follette

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MRS. SANNER DIED THIS MORNING

Word Received From California Announces the Demise of Ruth Culver Sanner.

Word was received this morning from Riverside, California, announcing the death of Mrs. Ruth Culver Sanner early this morning. The dispatch received contained no particulars and stated nothing beyond the fact that a beautiful Christian spirit has passed to the great beyond. Six weeks ago Mrs. Sanner's husband closed his eyes in their last earthly sleep and was interred at the cemetery in the beautiful California city. Mrs. Sanner was not well then and the shock of her husband's death it is thought has done much to hasten her own. Her daughter, a nine months old infant, was brought back to Janesville scarcely three weeks ago at the express wish of the mother who hoped to follow during the summer. Mrs. Sanner was born June 8, 1875. She grew to womanhood in Janesville and leaves many warm loving friends and relatives to mourn her loss. She was married to Mr. Frank Sanner two years ago in September and went immediately to El Paso, Texas, where Mr. Sanner was in business. She returned to her home in Janesville last June and remained in the city until early fall when she rejoined her husband in El Paso. Later in the winter they went to Redlands, California, for Mr. Sanner's health and later removed to Riverside, where they purchased property and expected to make their home. For some months past Mrs. Sanner has been failing gradually but announcement of her death comes as a shock to her relatives and friends who did not know of the seriousness of her complaint. The remains will be brought here for burial and later the remains of Mr. Sanner will also be interred in the Janesville cemetery.

Mrs. Robinson. Funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. Belle Augusta Robinson were held this afternoon from the family residence at 2 o'clock. Rev. Vaughan conducted the services and the interment was at Oak Hill cemetery.

WHEAT PRICES GO UP WITH A JUMP

Condition of the Wheat Market in Chicago Today Shows Decided Gains.

The long looked rise in wheat commenced today when the market advanced and closed 2 cents higher to-day than yesterday, reaching the figure of 90 1/2 cents.

Those who are competent judges claim that there is a great liability of the price going higher than it has in years, and it may possibly double in price. They base the claim on the fact of a great shortage on contract wheat, the present unfavorable crop outlook, the wet harvest in Texas, too much rain in Kansas and Oklahoma. There are only about 600,000 bushels of contract wheat in Chicago which is owned by one man. There were at times past from 10,000,000 to 15,000,000 bushels in the Chicago elevators, so that the shortage is clearly noticed. The best winter wheat is today bringing 18 cents over the July price.

The wheat supply visible now is very small and unless the country can bring some to the market which is practically an impossibility at this time, the price must advance.

The Hadden-Rodde Co., who have offices in the Jackson building claim that the present outlook for severe advance in wheat prices is unprecedented. Traders are making more money and have an opportunity of securing better holdings than at any time in years. The business of this firm is larger than ever and they are enjoying a better trade than has any board of trade ever operated in this city.

Everybody is making money and the trader is happy in consequence.

His "Income" Was Dead. One of the funniest income-tax returns ever made was that of the man who scrawled across "Schedule D" the following ingenious statement: "Got no income. Average for the last three years three hundred per annum, but the man from whom I borrowed the money is now dead."—London Advers.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

Rock River Encampment, No. 3, at East Side Odd Fellows' hall, Orienta Lodge, No. 22, K. of P., at Castle hall.
Carpenters' union at Assembly hall, Sheet Metal Workers' at Assembly hall.
Federal Labor union at Edgerton.

FUTURE EVENTS

Rusk Lyceum dance, Friday evening, June 3.
Lecture on Christian Science by Mrs. Sue Harper Sims, at Myers theatre, Sunday afternoon, June 5.
Walton Pyre and his company appear in "Esmeralda" at the Myers theatre, Friday evening, June 3.

THE WEATHER.

Temperature last 24 hours taken from U. S. registered thermometer at Holmstedt's drug store: Highest 65 above; lowest, 55 above; ther, at 7 a. m., 54; at 3 p. m., 54; wind, south 3 p. m., pleasant.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Spring Lamb. Nash.
Few Chickens. Nash.
Early cabbage plants. 105 Cornelia.
3 Uceda Hiscuit, 10c.
3 Graham Crackers, 25c. Nash.
Wall paper sale at Skelly's.
Corner Stone Flour, \$1.50. Nash.
See the 15c. mailing we are closing out for 25c. per yd. at our removal sale. T. P. Burns.
Pancy Spring Lamb. Nash.
Shirt waists and shirt waist suits selling for about half price at our removal sale. T. P. Burns.
Calves Liver. Nash.
Season for summer underwear is at hand, you can save money on your purchase of these goods at our removal sale. T. P. Burns.
Leg of Mutton. Nash.
Shirt waists and shirt waist suits selling for about half price at our removal sale. T. P. Burns.
Veal Roasts and Chops. Nash.
Plenty of fancy dairy butter by the pound or jar at Taylor Bros.
Get your Saturday's order in early. Nash.
Mr. Raymond S. Welch, of New York city is visiting his mother, Mrs. Welch, at her home 113 Washington street.

KALEIDOSCOPIC SCENES

Of Color, Grace and Action in Ringling Brothers' Production of Jerusalem and the Crusades.

Jerusalem and the Crusades is the spectacular novelty of Ringling Brothers' World's Greatest Shows this year. Twelve hundred characters are concerned in the portrayal of this vividly interesting story of the Crusades, and more than 2,000 costumes of richest fabric and artistic design are worn in the kaleidoscopic scenes. A ballet of 300 and a singing chorus of 200 are incidental features. The music, classic in character, and specially written for the huge production, is rendered by the largest grand pipe organ, and the only portable one, ever made, accompanied by a selected band of 50 soloists. The story of the Crusades is a pictorial narrative of the day of chivalry—a time when life was governed by the highest ideals, the period when knightly life was in flower, and men and women held principle dearer than life. No chapter in the history of civilization is more replete with incident, incident, noble impulse and momentous result. The action of the spectacle takes place on a stage larger than the combined stage room of 100 theaters, and the vast multitudes are managed with a skill never before accomplished. The scenic embellishment is historically true, and the work of the most famous artists, and all the multitudinous appointments, are of extraordinary value and luster. All the pomp and circumstance of ecclesiastical life in the chivalric days of the tenth century, the iridescent splendors of knightly costume and adornment, the radiant, shimmering tones of ancient, feminine fashions, the glitter and glisten of warrior emblems and implements, bladed with gold and precious gems, the impressive assemblage of picturesque hosts, the spell or brilliant and countless inventions of decorative taste—all these and many more features of appealing magnificence make this spectacle the most important and successful production of modern times, or, for that matter, of all time. The fabulous cost of this stupendous spectacle puts it beyond the resources of any other show, and the arena space of no other circus in existence would afford adequate stage-room for the massive groupings, evolutions and processional displays. All the exciting pastimes of the middle ages, jousting, tilts, sword combats, spearing competitions, athletic exploits, equestrian feats, and many other exercises of daring and skill, are thrillingly illustrated in a huge tourney to celebrate the departing warriors.

This wonderful circus will exhibit in Janesville, Tuesday, June 21.

Admission tickets, and reserved numbered chairs will be on sale at Ringling Brothers' downtown ticket office, People's Drug Store, show day, at exactly the same prices charged in the wagons on the show grounds.

Picture Postal Cards. Frans Horlich, a Nuremberg artist, is dead. The German papers say he was the inventor of the picture postal card. His first cards appeared in 1872, but as early as 1868 German brewers were advertising their beer by pictures and mottoes on cards, which they sent to prospective customers. Those are the earliest known specimens.

To Save Island from Sea.

The island of Nordstrand, the only portion of once fertile North Frisia which is as yet unclaimed, is now to be saved from the sea by the construction of a large dyke. The island was first separated from the mainland by a terrific storm in 1634, during which over six thousand persons were drowned.

HIGH GRADE TEETH.

They say Dr. Burns teeth are a little the finest thing out; they fit so nicely and look so natural.

AUDIENCE PLEASED WITH "PRINCE KARI"

Walton Pyre and His Company Made a Most Favorable Impression Last Evening.

A knight errant without a sword, made an unwilling and blundering fortune hunter through circumstance, speaking a dialect of broken English and continually involved in situations which make him the victim of ridicule and laughter, if he is to enlist the sympathy of his audience, and secure forgiveness for all his weaknesses through a return and devotion to a single ideal and sentiment, plays a difficult and exacting role. For even the comedy hero must be a man of parts. He must be generous, courageous, and daring and if other opportunities are not given must reveal these and other desirable attributes through the more subtle touches in line and action of his portrayal. Walton Pyre realized his character of "Prince Kari" in the presentation last evening in a manner that delighted the large audience assembled at the Myers theatre and with the other members of his company he was repeatedly called before the curtain. The work of Miss Fola La Follette as "The helpless widow," particularly in her "imperative moods" when the poor courier was commanded to do her bidding much against his will and unhesitatingly of the rough smiles that lurked behind the orders, was remarkably good and elicited the most favorable comment on every side. Miss Mabel Carruthers as the coy mother-in-law, C. C. Chenoweth as "The American errand," Miss Caroline Polier as the authoritatively inclined Boston girl, J. L. Linton as the eccentric landlord, Morgan Wallace, the ex-husband, and William Rosell, as "J. Cool Dragon" the Chicago lawyer, were all excellent in their parts. The cast was well balanced throughout and the play was elaborately staged and costumed. A large portion of the audience remained after the last curtain to attend the short reception held on the stage. This evening the company will conclude its visit here with the presentation of William Gillette's "Esmeralda."

SECURE NEW CHEF FOR CLUB HOUSE

C. E. Loucks, Formerly with Rockford Country Club, Will Take Charge Here Monday.

A new chef will take charge of the Shinnestip Golf Club house next Monday. His name is C. E. Loucks and he has had two years experience with the Gold club in Rockford. The house committee closed an agreement with him yesterday. Mr. Loucks comes here with the highest recommendations both of the president of the Rockford Country Club and of individual members. That he will give perfect satisfaction here seems to be assured. His family will remain in Rockford.

Plenty of strawberries tomorrow at Taylor Bros.

New Maple Sugar. Nash.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN.

A Theatre Party: A theatre party consisting of Dr. and Mrs. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Frick, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Doty, and Miss Sanner, were guests of Mrs. Chenoweth at the play last evening.

On a Picnic Excursion: The employees of the Parker Pen Co. will take a special car over the Interurban at 1:15 tomorrow to enjoy a picnic at York's park.

Arrived At Naples: Among the steamship arrivals noted today is that of the Knicker Albert, on which Mrs. George Barker and daughter, Mary, were travelling, at Naples.

Wee Folks' Band: The Wee Folks' Band of the First Congregational church will hold their semi-annual meeting next Wednesday. The band has 150 members between the ages of two and five.

K. of P. Smoker: The last regular meeting until fall of Oriental Lodge No. 22, Knights of Pythias, will conclude with a smoker at Castle hall this evening. All members are urged to be present.

Entertained at Welsh Farm: About twenty-five ladies, members of the Baptist church left the city this morning in two carriages to visit the home of Mr. and Mrs. Welsh, about two miles west of the city, where they will spend the day.

Will Go To Harvard Tuesday: Rev. P. Werth, pastor of St. John's German Lutheran church, of this city, and his two choirs composed of thirty-six ladies and gentlemen, will give an interesting entertainment at the Harvard Opera house, Tuesday evening, June 7.

Will Play at Clinton: The Chicago Giants who played the Clinton Maroons in this city yesterday, left this morning for Clinton, where they play the same team today.

Special Meeting: The W. I. U. L. is to hold a special meeting at Assembly hall Friday evening to attend to important business. All members requested to be present.

Moves His Office: Edward H. Peterson has moved his law offices from the old Postoffice block to room 411 Hayes block.

Deals in Realty: Walter J. and Mrs. Emma Pennington have sold to H. E. Geschke and wife 120 acres of land in the town of Newark for \$7,800. The latter have also purchased from E. S. Wabam 640 acres of land in North Dakota for \$6,400. A. M. Schroeder has purchased from H. E. Geschke and wife 65 acres adjoining the city of Beloit on the west for \$8,125.

Kicked By a Horse: The two year old son of Peter McCue of Willowdale was kicked in the head by a horse one day this week and a serious scalp wound inflicted. Dr. McCarthy was called and found it necessary to take several stitches.

Janesville Water Main: The Janesville Water company have completed the work of laying the water mains at the county poor farm and a test will be made some time the fore part of the week.

Strawberries. Nash.

CROP REPORT OF GENERAL SCOPE

Reports From All Over the United States Are Very Promising.

The weekly summary of crop conditions, issued by the weather bureau yesterday, follows:

With the exception of the northern Rocky mountain region and upper Missouri and Upper Mississippi valleys, where the early part of the week was cool, the temperature of the week ended May 30, was favorable in all districts, and especially to the eastward of the Mississippi river and in the west gulf states, Oklahoma and portions of Iowa, Missouri, Wisconsin, Ohio and Pennsylvania have suffered to some extent from excessive moisture, while drought continues over a large part of the south Atlantic and east gulf states. Well distributed and beneficial rains fell over the greater part of Texas and the central Rocky mountain slope. Light frosts occurred in Wisconsin and heavy damaging frosts in Montana, Idaho and Washington. Continued northerly winds caused considerable damage to fruit and possibly injured grain in California. Rain is generally needed in the north Pacific coast.

Except in the more northerly sections, where corn planting is much delayed, this work has progressed under favorable conditions, but the reports indicate that a large amount of replanting will be necessary throughout the central valleys and lake regions, due in part to poor seedling. Cutworms are causing much damage in the Ohio Valley and middle Atlantic states, where the crop is largely laid by having reached the earing stage in the west gulf states.

A general improvement in the condition of winter wheat is indicated in the principal wheat states, but the condition of the crop continues poor in the Ohio valley. Harvest is in progress in the southern states. On the north Pacific coast winter wheat has done well, except in portions of eastern Washington, where it has been injured by frosts. In California the crop is maturing rapidly, but has probably sustained injury by desiccating winds.

Early sown spring wheat is growing nicely, and the general outlook for this crop in the spring wheat region is promising. Some fields in South Dakota, however, are weedy and the late sown in North Dakota has not germinated well. On the north Pacific coast early spring wheat is doing well, but rain is needed for the late sown.

Nearly all reports respecting oats indicate that this crop has made favorable progress. Early oats were heading as far north as the central Mississippi valley, and the southern portion of the middle Atlantic states. Harvesting continues in the south.

Although cotton continues small, a general improvement in its condition is indicated, especially in the central and western districts, where rains have been well distributed and generally ample. Tobacco transplanting has progressed slowly in Kentucky, Virginia, and North Carolina, and this year's early rains in Maryland. Planting has made favorable progress in New England, Pennsylvania, and Tennessee.

The reports respecting apples received from the central Mississippi and Ohio valleys are less encouraging, but from the middle Atlantic states, New England and the upper lake region the reports are more favorable. In the east gulf states a good crop of peaches is promised, but elsewhere the outlook is poor.

In the principal hay producing states the condition of this crop is uniformly good. Haying has commenced in Texas.

British Army Regulations.

Under the new British army regulations colonels commanding regiments are to send to the editors of the newspapers in the districts in which are the regiment's recruiting depots paragraphs concerning regimental successes and distinction, for the encouragement of the rank and file.

Swiss Protest.

The inhabitants of Claro, a Swiss village, met in general assembly and passed a resolution informing the ecclesiastical authorities that they (the villagers) would become freethinkers unless the village cure, who was unpopular, should be removed.

Valuable Radium Minerals.

Valuable deposits of uranium and vanadium oxide or carnotite, have recently been discovered near Boulder, Colo. These are the ores so eagerly sought, at present, by scientists engaged in experimenting with substances possessing radio-active properties.

SATURDAY AT THE FAIR STORE

Good ones at 18c

Dairy Butter The very best, 18c

Old Potatoes Round, White, Hard, \$1.40 Bu.

The best we ever had.

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DEDRICK BROS.

The Fair Store

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Contractor P. Ryan left for Fox Lake this morning on business.

T. W. Frick was a Rockford visitor today.

F. M. Marshall left this morning for Milwaukee on business.

Frank C. Hasilton, formerly of this city, but now of Indianapolis, has recently accepted a position as special agent with one of the large fire insurance companies with Illinois and Iowa as his territory.

Charles Kneff is confined to his home with an attack of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Valentine and Thurt Gage left this morning for Lake Kegonsa, where they will spend the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Jeffris returned home this morning from Galena, where they have been in attendance at the lead and zinc carnival, which is being held in that city.

Frederick Baker and Charles Gay left this morning for a visit in Milwaukee and Port Washington. They will return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Church and daughter, Margaret, of North Fond du Lac are spending a few days visiting relatives in this city.

RAPID RISE FOR JANEVILLE BOY

Wallace McGregor of This City, is Now Head of the J. I. Case Threshing Shops in Racine.

Wallace S. McGregor, superintendent of the J. I. Case Threshing Machine Company of Racine, who has been visiting his parents in this city for weeks past, left yesterday to attend the meeting of the International Mechanical Engineers Association in Chicago. Wisconsin has but two representatives in this organization, one of them being Mr. McGregor. Mr. McGregor is a graduate of the Janesville High school and also of the mechanical engineering department of the university with the class of 1897. He has risen rapidly in his professional life and is the head of the immense Case shops at Racine.

Match Making in France.

Eight hundred tons of sulphur were used in France last year in making matches. The daily consumption was three per head of the population. Match making is a monopoly of the French government to which it yields an annual revenue of \$5,000,000.

Fresh and Salt Water Lake.

A lake containing fresh water on top and salt water on the bottom has been discovered on Fildin island, Lapland. The lake rises and falls with the tide, and the salt water evidently comes from the sea by an underground channel.

Philosophy.

Philosophy is a sword to fight with, to conquer life with. If you lack the heart to draw and wield it, then by all means discard it as a useless incumbrance, the assumption of which only makes you ridiculous in the sight of others.

Strawberries

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Large Sour, - doz. 10c
Large Dills, - doz. 15c
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NEW BUILDING ON MILTON CAMPUS

Ground Has Been Broken for Whitford Memorial Hall To Be Erected at Cost of \$20,000.

Work has been started on the new Whitford Memorial hall which is to be built at a cost of \$20,000 on the Milton College campus this summer. The corner stone is to be laid with appropriate exercises on commencement day, June 30, under the auspices of the Alumni Association which is erecting the building as a memorial to President William Clarke Whitford. The building will contain the library and laboratories for biology, physics and chemistry.

A. O. U. W. Card Party Tonight. Olive Lodge, No. 36, A. O. U. W. gives a card party and smoker at East Side Odd Fellows' hall tonight. All members and their invited friends are requested to be there.

Attention Woodmen. All Woodmen are requested to meet at West Side Odd Fellows' hall Sunday morning, June 5th at 10 o'clock sharp, to attend services at the Court street M. E. Church, Per order S. M. Fisher.

Notice: There will be a regular monthly meeting of the Builders and Contractors' Association at their rooms on Friday evening, June 3rd, at 8 o'clock.

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COUNTY NEWS

ROCK.

Rock, May 31.—Mr. Clenden Stebbins and daughter, Florence, of Stoughton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burr Tolles, recently.

Maurice Reed, Sr., paid a business trip to Rockford last week.

Work was suspended at the Kellogg nursery yesterday in observance of Memorial Day.

Owing to a poor start, a number in this neighborhood have been compelled to replant their sugar beets.

Master Henry Vohlan is now hauling milk for Messrs. Timmons and Robinson in addition to his old customers.

School will close in this district a week from Friday. A picnic will be held the last day and the scholars are looking forward to it with much pleasure.

The Misses Alice Ludden and Dade Conroy were callers in this vicinity last Friday.

Burr Tolles delivered his tobacco to the Grundy warehouse Saturday.

Ed. Cribben met with a painful accident last week which resulted in the breaking of his big toe. In consequence, he is laid up for a short time.

Many farmers are becoming discouraged over the outlook of the 1904 corn crop. In many cases a man who has seed corn that will grow, may consider himself fortunate, for so many are having such poor luck.

Some seed corn that will not grow at all but just rots in the ground. What he cause is no one seems able to tell. But the seed that was selected so carefully last fall and given the best storage conditions last winter, and even this spring looked in the best of condition, when put to sprout will not grow.

In speaking of the matter, Mr. Zeeman, who lives on the Riverside farm, said recently: "I cannot understand what the trouble is. But this I do know, that a great deal of the corn I have planted does not seem to grow at all, but is just rotting in the ground. I have grown the same kind of corn for eight years, it is the Iowa Silver Mine, and have always had a fine crop."

The queer part of it, he continued, "the seed looking fine this spring, I selected the very best for seed last fall and this spring, to be sure that all was right. I re-sorted it all again, rejecting about one-third that I thought was not as good as the rest. The reason why it does not grow may be due to the peculiar season of last year, which was not a good corn year, or due to the severe cold of last winter."

Charley Hibbard, who has been staying at Mr. Patterson's for the past three weeks, left this morning for Milton Junction.

Another light frost on this morning of the 31st of May.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr W. Tolles were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koebler in the city Sunday.

Robert Gehland was a Chicago visitor last week.

The Mrs. Pease estate, for which Wm. Rager was agent, has recently been sold.

MILTON.

Milton, June 3.—Memorial day was appropriately observed here and most of the business places were closed as a mark of respect. Owing to the cold atmosphere the exercises were held in the Seventh-day Baptist church, and many were unable to hear them, standing room in the building being at a premium.

The address by Hon. L. B. Caswell, of Fort Atkinson, was a plain, practical talk. The music by the college male quartet was excellent and the women's band did itself credit. Hon. P. M. Green acted as president of the day. The Grand Army and W. R. C. held the usual decorative services at the cemetery.

The officers elected of Du Lac lodge for next term are: W. A. McEwan, N. G.; M. B. Downing, V. G.; C. E. Perry, Sec.

A number of our citizens attended the Woodmen's picnic at Madison.

Mrs. Gardner Savanders celebrated her eightieth birthday Thursday and her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Savanders, invited a number of her former and present neighbors to unite with them in a birthday surprise party that was an enjoyable event for all.

F. C. Dunn made a business trip to Delavan Wednesday.

Miss Flora Hamilton, of Minnesota, is the guest of M. E. Coon.

Mrs. W. H. Davidson is better and hopes to be able to be out of doors again soon.

Rev. I. S. Eldridge, of Oconomowoc, spent this week with his son and daughter, W. A. McEwan and wife.

Mrs. Jno. B. Norton, of Elizabeth, N. J., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Daland.

Rev. Perry Miller, of Appleton, visited his Milton relatives Wednesday.

Rev. Dr. Platts was in Beloit Wednesday to hear the president of Union college lecture.

The college ball team played Northwestern university at Watertown Wednesday and were beaten eight to four.

This evening, Saturday, the Firemen's band will give a concert in the park. You are invited.

This village will celebrate the Fourth in an appropriate manner. Make your arrangements to be present.

Mrs. A. T. Hill, of Randolph, Neb., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Miller.

H. B. and F. E. Osborn are visiting relatives at Rockford.

EMERALD GROVE.

Emerald Grove, June 2.—On Sunday afternoon, May 29, at two o'clock, funeral services were held over the remains of the late Mrs. J. W. Dean, at the Congregational church. Rev. W. E. Davidson officiating and was very largely attended. The song service was very beautifully rendered by Mrs. L. Cheney and Mrs. A. D. Barlaas. Mrs. Dean possessed a very kind heart, always willing to assist in benevolent work. She has gone to the suffering of others. She has gone to her reward. She leaves a husband, four sons and two daughters, who will miss a mother's love. The remains were tenderly laid in the Emerald Grove cemetery amid the flowers.

Charles Dean, of Sanborn, Iowa; Elmer Dean and Mrs. J. Gardner, of Riverside, Cal., were called here by the death of their mother. Mr. Dean, sister and niece were also here. Flora Wetmore and Helen Grant

spent Saturday and Sunday with their teacher, Miss Godfrey, at her home in Lima.

Many people gathered at the cemetery on Memorial day to decorate the soldiers' graves.

Children's Day will be observed here June 12. The teachers and children have arranged a good program for the evening. Everyone is invited.

The pastor of the Congregational church will preach next Sunday both morning and evening. Theme of morning discourse: "On Guard." Evening theme: "The Seeker." What He Finds." Attention of all interested in our church is invited to resumption of evening service. We extend a cordial invitation to all of our services. Our friends and helpers will serve the pastor especially during the summer by attending both Sabbath services. Evening service at 8 p. m. instead of 7:30, as heretofore.

HANOVER.

Hanover, June 2.—A number from here visited the cemetery Monday and decorated the graves of friends and relatives.

A. Behling has hauled lumber for his new barn.

A gang of men are fixing the street north of the Northwestern depot, with Kane Bros. as foremen.

The house occupied by F. R. Lentz and family is having a new part built on.

Mrs. Jensen is sick with appendicitis. Her many friends wish her a quick recovery.

A large delegation from here attended the M. W. A. picnic at Madison Wednesday.

Fred Ehringer, of Janesville, was a visitor here Wednesday.

E. G. Brown and J. J. Sheehan were Fulton fishermen Tuesday.

Mrs. Walter and daughter were callers in Janesville Tuesday.

E. N. Haugen, of Orfordville, was a business caller Monday.

Wm. Finley, of Bass Creek, was a visitor here Monday.

John Gauszell, of Orfordville, was a caller here Sunday.

Ed. Hoover, of the Bower City, spent Tuesday here.

After spending the winter near Madison, Hurley Haight returned to his home here Wednesday.

Mrs. Pyburn is visiting here and if she likes it here she will move here.

There is to be a barn dance at the Mathias barn two miles south of here Friday night, June 10, 1904. All invited.

BARKERS CORNERS.

Barkers Corners, June 2.—The Ladies' Aid society meets next week on Thursday, June 3, with Mrs. Chas. Davis. Everybody come. Society in the afternoon.

Prayer meeting will be held next Wednesday night with Mrs. Ed. Kyse. Children's Day exercises will be held at the U. B. church next Sunday evening.

The surprise party which was held Wednesday evening at Mrs. G. A. Griffiths was well attended and everybody enjoyed a good time.

Miss Hattie Dutton is serving at W. H. Taylor's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Addie spent Thursday with relatives in Ft. Atkinson.

Rev. L. E. Warren, Michael Rahner and Misses Phoebe and Elsie Taylor spent Sunday in Lima.

Mr. Wm. Cox and wife and Mrs. J. M. Richards, of Indian Ford, spent last Sunday at W. H. Taylor's.

Quite a few from this vicinity attended the Woodmen's picnic at Madison Wednesday.

Mr. O. N. Dutton, Mr. W. H. Taylor, Ezra Dutton and E. C. Taylor spent Wednesday fishing at Indian Ford. Oh, yes! They had good luck.

Mr. and Mrs. West Van Hise, of Janesville, called at W. H. Taylor's Wednesday.

Miss Julia Dutton, of Edgerton, spent over Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Griffey, of Milwaukee, spent over Sunday with relatives in this vicinity.

WEST PORTER.

Porter, June 2.—A large number from here attended the M. M. A. picnic in Madison yesterday. All report a splendid time.

Mrs. John Keery, of Janesville, visited at the home of C. Jensen last week.

Choir practice was held at Fred Brunzell's Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Tolles called on relatives in Evansville Sunday.

Mr. George Keylock lost a very valuable horse last week.

William Pomeroy and T. Bwins, of Edgerton, were business callers here last Friday.

Most of our farmers have finished planting corn.

Mrs. Levi Knepper, of Evansville, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Earle and family.

Miss Alice Juleth visited her sister, Mrs. Harold Brunzell, part of last week.

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COUNTY LINE.

County Line, June 3.—D. A. McCarthy spent Sunday evening with Frank Young.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Gibbs, of Janesville, spent Sunday at Jas. McCarthy's. Sr. Adolph Swinson and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Carl Larson.

Henry Pratt, of Stoughton, spent a few days recently with his son, Harry. Ed. Ford, Sr.; Ed. Ford, Jr., and Dennis Casey spent from Friday until Monday in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sweeney entertained a number of friends on Sunday. A large delegation from here attended the dedication of the new Catholic church at Edgerton.

Tobacco buyers have been quite numerous along the line the past week.

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JANESVILLE MARKET REPORT

Quotations on Grain and Produce Reported for the Gazette.

REPORTED BY F. A. SPOON & CO. May 26, 1904.

Flour—1st Pat. at \$1.35 to \$1.40 2nd Pat. at \$1.30 to \$1.35 per sack.

Wheat—No. 3 Winter, 78¢; No. 3 Spring, 75¢.

Rye—By sample, at 70¢ to 72¢ per bu.

Barley—Extra 15¢; fair to good malting 14¢; mostly grade, 28¢ to 30¢.

Oats—Ear, new, per ton, \$15-\$16 depending on quality.

Corn—No. 3 white, 40¢; fair, 38¢; 35¢; 32¢; 30¢; 28¢; 25¢; 22¢; 20¢; 18¢; 15¢; 12¢; 10¢; 8¢; 5¢; 3¢; 2¢; 1¢; 0¢.

Timothy Hay—Baled at \$1.30 to \$1.40 per ton.

Hay—Pure corn and oats, \$2.00 to \$2.50 per ton.

Minerals, 25¢ to 30¢.

Beans—\$1.00 to \$1.20 per ton.

Flour—Minnesota—\$2.00 per sack, per ton.

Bed Dow, \$2.00. Standard Middlings, \$2.50 per sack.

Oil—\$2.50 per ton.

Corn Meal—\$2.50 per ton.

May—per ton; baled, \$11.00 to \$12.00.

Excursion Tickets to Wausau, Wis. Via the North-Western Line will be sold June 16, 17 and 18, limited to return until June 20, account of Annual Convention Fraternal Order of Eagles.

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Smith's Drug Store.

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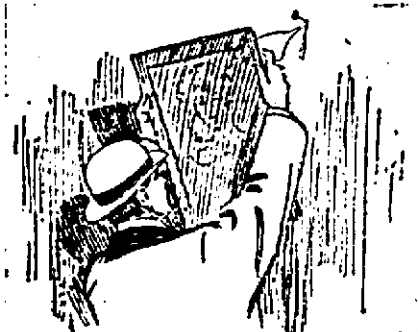
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Greatly excited, I sprang upon a chair, took down the drawing from the

Taking down the drawing



wall and laid it face up on the bed. Then I placed the glass over one of the large coils surrounding the insipid face, and was startled enough, in spite of all mental preparation, to perceive the crinkly lines which formed it resolve themselves into script and the script into words, some of which were perfectly legible.

The drawing, simple as it looked, was a communication in writing to those who used a magnifying glass to read it. I could hardly contain my triumph, hardly find the self control necessary to a careful study of its undulating and often conflicting lines and to the slow picking out of the words therein contained.

But when I had done this and had copied all the whole of the wandering scrawl on a page of my notebook the result was of value.

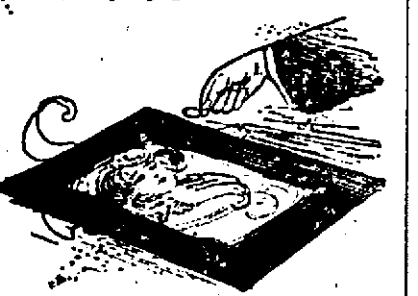
Read and judge for yourself:

"Coward that I am, I am willing to throw upon posterity the shadow of a crime whose consequences I dare not incur in life. Confession I must make. To die and leave no record of my deed is impossible, yet how tell my story so that only my own heirs may read and they when at the crisis of their fate? I believe I have found the way by this drawing and the injunction I have left to the holders of the filigree ball.

"No man ever wished his enemy dead more than I did, and no man ever spent more cunning on the deed. Master in my own house, I contrived a device by which the man who held my fate in his hands fell on my library hearth, with no one near and no sign by which to associate me with the act. Does this seem like the assertion of a madman? Go to the old chamber familiarly called 'The Colonel's Own.' Enter its closet, pull out its two drawers and in the opening thus made seek for the loophole at the back, through which, if you stoop low enough, you can catch a glimpse of the library hearth and its great settle. With these in view, slip your finger along the wall on your right, and when it touches an obstruction pass it if it is a handle—for that is only used to revind the apparatus and must be turned from you until it can be turned no farther—but if it is a depression you encounter press and press hard on the knob concealed within it. But beware when any one you love is seated in that corner of the settle where the cushion invites rest lest it be your fate to mourn and wall as it is mine to curse the hour when I sought to clear my way by murder, for the doom of the man of blood is upon me.

"The hindrance is gone out of my life, but a horror has entered it beyond the conception of any soul that has not yielded itself to the unimaginable indu-

The drawing under the magnifying glass



ences emanating from an accomplished crime. I cannot be content with having pressed that spring once. A mania is upon me which, after thirty years of useless resistance and superhuman struggle, still draws me from bed and sleep to rehearse in ghastly fashion that deed of my early manhood. I cannot resist it. To tear out the deadly mechanism, unlight weight and drum and rid the house of every evidence of crime would but drive me to shriek my guilt aloud and act in open pantomime what I now go through in fearful silence and secrecy. When the hour comes, as come it must, that I cannot resist and enter that fatal closet, I shall still enact the deed in dreams and shriek aloud in my sleep and wish myself dead and yet fear to die lest my hell be to go through all eternity playing over and over my man in ever growing horror and repulsion.

"Do you wish to share my fate? Try to effect through blood a release from the difficulties menacing you."

CHAPTER XXII.

I RESTORED the picture to its place and left the building. As I did so the first signs of dawn became visible in the east. I had expended three hours in picking out the meaning concealed in the wavy lines of the old picture.

I was early at headquarters that morning, but not so early as to find the superintendent alone. A group of men were already congregated about him in his small office, and when, on being ad-

There was with them a fourth man, who stood apart. On him the general attention had been concentrated at my entrance and to him it now returned. He was an unpretentious person of kindly aspect. To any one accustomed to Washington residents, he bore the unmistakable signs of being one of the many departmental employees whose pay is inadequate to the necessities of his family. Of his personal peculiarities I noted two. He blinked when he talked and stuttered painfully when excited. Notwithstanding these defects he made a good impression and commanded confidence. This I soon saw was of importance, for the story he now entered upon was one calculated to make me forget my own errand and even to question my own convictions.

The first intimation I received of the curious nature of his communication was through the following questions, put to him by the major:

"You are sure this gentleman is identical with the one pointed out to you last night?"

"Very sure, sir. I can swear to it."

"You recognize him positively?"

"Positively. I should have picked him out with the same assurance if I had seen him in some other city and in a crowd of as fine looking gentlemen as himself. His face made a great impression on me. You see, I had ample time to study it in the few minutes we stood so close together."

"So you have said. Will you be kind enough to repeat the circumstance? I should like the man who has just come in to hear your description of this scene. Give the action, please. It is all very interesting."

The stranger glanced inquisitively in my direction, and turned to obey the superintendent.

"I was returning to my home in Georgetown on the evening of May 11, the day of the great tragedy. My wife was ill, and I had been into town to see a physician, and should have gone directly home; but I was curious to see how high the flood was running—you remember it was over the banks that night. So I wandered out on the bridge, and came upon the gentleman about whom you have been questioning me. He was standing all alone leaning on the rail thus:

Here the speaker drew up a chair, and, crossing his arms over his back, bent his head down over it. "I did not know him, but the way he eyed the water leaping and boiling in a yellow flood beneath was not the way of a curious man like myself, but of one who was meditating some desperate deed. He was handsome and well dressed, but he looked a miserable wretch and was in a state of such complete self absorption that he did not notice me, though I had stepped no five feet from his side. I expected to see him throw himself over, but instead of that he suddenly raised his head, and, gazing straight before him, not at the heavy current, but at some vision in his own mind, broke forth in these words, spoken as I had never heard words spoken before:

Here the speaker's stuttering got the better of him and the district attorney had time to say:

"What were these words? Speak them slowly; we have all the time there is."

Instantly the man plucked up heart, and, eying us all impressively, was able to say:

"They were these: 'She must die! She must die!' No name, but just the one phrase twice repeated. 'She must die!' This startled me, and, hardly knowing whether to lay hands on him or to turn about and run, I was moving slowly away when he drew his arms from the rail—like this—and still staring into space added in the same hard and determined voice this one word more: 'Tonight!' and, wheeling about, passed me with one blank and wholly unconscious look and betook himself toward the city. As he went by, his lips opened for the third time. 'Which means,' he cried, between a groan and a shriek, 'a bullet for her and—' I wish I had heard the rest, but he was out of my hearing before his sentence was finished."

"What time was this?"

"As near half past 5 as possible. It was 6 when I reached home a few minutes later."

"Ah, he must have gone to the cemetery after this."

"I am quite sure of it."

"Why didn't you follow the man?"

"It wasn't my business. He was a stranger and possibly mad. I didn't know what to do."

"What did you do?"

"Went home and kept quiet; my wife was very ill that night and I had my own cause for anxiety."

"You, however, read the papers next morning?"

"No, sir, nor for many days. My wife grew constantly worse and for a week I did not leave her, not knowing but that every breath would be her last. I was dead to everything outside the sickroom, and when she grew better, which was very gradually, we had to take her away, so that I had no opportunity of speaking of this occurrence to any one till a week ago, when some remark published in connection with Mrs. Jeffrey's death recalled that encounter on the bridge."

I told a neighbor that I believed the man I had seen there was Mr. Jeffrey, and we looked up the papers and ran

over them and we came upon his picture. That settled it, and I could no longer—being free from home anxieties now—hold my tongue, and the police heard."

"That will do, Mr. Gelston," broke in the major. "When we want you again we will let you know. Durbin, see Mr. Gelston out."

I was left alone with the major and the district attorney.

The major was the first to speak. Addressing the district attorney, he remarked: "This will strengthen your case very materially. We have proof now that Mrs. Jeffrey's death was actually determined upon. If Miss Tuttle had not shot her, he would. I wonder if it was a relief to him on reaching his door to find that the deed was done."

I could not suppress my surprise. "Miss Tuttle?" I repeated. "Is it not unmistakably evident that Mr. Jeffrey did not get to the Moore house in time to do the shooting himself?"

The major gave me a quick look. "I thought you considered Miss Tuttle the guilty one."

I felt that the time had come to show my colors.

"I have changed my mind," said I. "I can give you no good reason for this; something in the woman herself, I suppose. She does not look nor act like a criminal. While not desirous of misjudging myself in opposition to the judgment of those so greatly my superiors in all respects, I have had this feeling, and I am courageous enough to avow it. And yet, if Mr. Jeffrey could not have left the cemetery gates and reached the Moore house in time to fulfill all the conditions of this tragedy, the case does look black against the woman. She admits to having been there when the pistol was fired, unless—"

"Unless what? You have something new to tell us. That I have seen since you entered the room. What is it?"

I cast a glance at the door. Should I be able to finish my story before Durbin returned? I thought it possible, and, though still upset by this new evidence, which I could now see was not entirely in Miss Tuttle's favor, I spoke up with what spirit I might.

"I have just come from spending another night in the Moore house. All the efforts heretofore made to exhaust its secrets have been founded upon a theory that has brought us nowhere. I had another in mind, and I was anxious to test it before resting from all further attempt to solve this riddle. And it has not failed me."

As I said this I laid open on the table before me the transcription of what I spoke. Instantly the two men bent over it. When they looked up again, their countenance showed not excitement only, but appreciation; and in the one minute of triumph which I then enjoyed all that had wounded or disturbed me in the past was forgotten.

The major now proposed that we should go at once to the old house. "A family secret like this does not crop up every day even in a city so full of surprises as Washington. We will hunt for the spring under the closet drawers and see what happens, eh? And on our way there—here he turned to me—"I should like to hear the particulars concerning the little clue just mentioned. By the way, Mr. Jeffrey's interest in this old drawing is now explained. He knew its diabolical secret."

This was self evident, and my heart was heavy for Miss Tuttle, who seemed to be so deep in her brother-in-law's confidence.

It grew still heavier when Durbin, joining us, added his incredulity to the air of suspicion assumed by the others.

Our first move was to go in a body to the southwest chamber, take down the picture, examine it with a magnifying glass and satisfy ourselves that the words I had picked out of its mazy lines were really to be found there.

This done and my veracity established, we next proceeded to the closet where, according to the instruction embodied in this picture, the secret spring was to be found by which some unknown and devilish machinery would be released in the library below.

To my great satisfaction the active part in this experiment was delegated to me. Durbin continued to be a mere looker on. Drawing out the two large drawers from their place at the end of this closet I set them aside. Then I hunted for and found the small loophole which we had been told afforded a glimpse of the library hearthstone, but seeing nothing through it, I called for a light to be placed in the room below.

I heard Durbin go down, then the major and, finally, the district attorney. Nothing could stay their curiosity now, not even the possibility of danger, which as yet was a lurking and mysterious one. But when a light shot up from below and the irregular opening before me became a loophole through which I could catch a very wide glimpse of the library beneath, I found that it was not necessary for me to warn them to keep away from the hearth, as they were all clustered very near the door—a precaution not altogether uncalled for at so hazardous a moment.

"Are you ready?" I called down.

"Ready!" rose in simultaneous response from below.

"Then look out!"

Reaching for the spring cleverly concealed in the wall at my right I vigorously pressed it.

The result was instantaneous. Silent-

ly, but with unerring certainty, something small, round and deadly fell plumb from the library ceiling to where the settle had formerly stood against the hearthstone. Finding nothing there but vacancy to expend itself upon, it swung about for a moment on what looked like a wire or a whipcord, then slowly came to rest within a foot or so from the door.

A cry from the horrified officials below was what first brought me to myself. Withdrawing from my narrow quarters, I hastened down to them and added one more white face to the three I found congregated in the doorway.

In the diabolical ingenuity we had seen

displayed crime had reached its apex, and the cup of human depravity seemed full.

When we had regained in some measure our self possession we all advanced for a closer look at the mysterious object dangling before us. We found it to be a heavy leaden weight pointed on its lower end to match the bosses of stucco work which appeared at regular intervals in the ornamental ceiling.

When drawn up into place—that is, when occupying the hole from which it now hung suspended—the portion left to protrude would evidently bear so small a proportion to its real bulk as to justify any eye in believing it to be the mite, and the harmless mite, of all the others.

(To be Continued.)

LODGE CALENDAR.

Masonic.
Western Star Lodge, No. 14, F. and A. M.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.
Janesville Lodge, No. 55, F. and A. M.—2nd and 4th Monday.
Janesville Chapter, No. 5, E. A. M.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.
Janesville Commandery, No. 2, K. W.—2nd and 4th Thursday.
Janesville Chapter, No. 65, O. E. S.—2nd and 4th Wednesday.

I. O. O. F.
Wisconsin City Lodge, No. 14—Every Wednesday.
Janesville City Lodge, No. 90—Every Tuesday.

Rock River Encampment, No. 8—1st and 3rd Friday.
Rock River Chapter, No. 5, Patriarchs Militant—2nd and 4th Friday.
American Lodge, No. 26, D. of M. 3rd and 4th Saturday.
Janesville Chapter, No. 171, D. of M.—2nd and 4th Thursday.

Catholic Knights of Wisconsin.
Branch, No. 65—1st Sunday.

Janesville Lodge, No. 251—Every Wednesday.

G. A. R.
W. H. Sargent Post, No. 30—2nd and 4th Friday.
W. H. Sargent Corps, No. 21, W. M. U.—Every Alternate Tuesday.

Division, No. 1—2nd Sunday.

Knights of the Globe.
Janesville Chapter, No. 19—2nd and 4th Thursday.

Knights of the Maccabees.
Rock River Tent, No. 51—1st and 3rd Monday.

Rock River Live, No. 71, Ladies of the Maccabees—1st and 3rd Monday.

Knights of Pythias.
Oriental Lodge, No. 22—Meets every Friday.

Modern Woodmen of America.
Florence Camp No. 369—2nd and 4th Monday.
Crystal Camp, No. 152—2nd and 4th Wednesday.

National Union.
Janesville Council, No. 232—1st Wednesday.

United Workmen.
Fraternal Reserve Association meets first and third Thursdays at West Side Odd Fellows Hall.

Oliver Branch, No. 28—2nd and 4th Friday.

Oliver Lodge, No. 27, Degree of Honor.
1st and 3rd Wednesday.

Laurel Lodge, No. 2, Degree of Honor.
1st and 3rd Thursday.

Royal Arcanum.
2nd and 4th Monday.

Independent Order of Foresters—4th Monday.

Brother Workers of the World—1st and 3rd Tuesday.

Omega Council, No. 214, Royal League.
1st and 3rd Tuesday.

Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters.
2nd and 4th Tuesday.

Heaven's—2nd and 4th Tuesday.

Colony, No. 2, H. F. F.—5th Wednesday.

St. Patrick's Court, No. 318, W. C. U. of F.
1st and 3rd Monday.

Crystal Camp, No. 152, H. A. A.
Rock River Chapter, No. 171, D. of M.—2nd and 4th Thursday.

Knights of Columbus—1st and 3rd Thursday.

Janesville Lodge, No. 400, I. O. O. W.—Every Friday.

Duane City Verba, No. 51, Germania Unterzungen Verein—3rd Friday.

Crystal Camp, No. 152, H. A. A. U. W.—1st and 3rd Saturday.

Retail Clerks' Union—3d Tuesday.

Janesville City Lodge, No. 90—Every Tuesday.

Labor Organizations.
Janesville Assembly of Equitable Fraternal Union, No. 171, meets the 1st and 3d Monday of each month at the Cathedral hall, Carle block.

Journeyman Barbers' Union—1st Monday.

Painters, Paperhangers & Decorators Union—1st and 3rd Monday.

Journeyman Tailors' Union—2nd Monday.

Leather Workers.
Brewers' Union—1st and 3rd Tuesday.

Retail Clerks' Union—3d Tuesday.

Machinists' Union—2nd and 4th Wednesday.

Federal Labor Union—1st and 3rd Wednesday.

Typographical Union—1st Wednesday at Assembly hall.

Trade Council, Building Trades Council—2nd and 4th Wednesday.

Woodworkers' Union—4th Thursday.

Book & Shoe Workers' Union—1st Thursday.

Plumbers' Union—1st and 3rd Thursday.

Teamsters' Union—1st and 3rd Thursday.

Unemployed Sheet Metal Workers' Union—1st and 3rd Friday.

Tricklayer & Masonic Union, Brotherhead of Locomotive Firemen—1st and 3rd Saturday.

International Association of Railway Clerks meets 1st Thursday in Bolot and 3rd Tuesday in Ja'sville.

John's Freight Handlers and Warehousemen's Union—1st and 3rd Tuesday.

Carpenters' Union—1st and 3rd Friday.

Citizens' Union Label League—2nd and 4th Friday.

Stone Cutters' Association of North America—3rd Friday.

PLAN INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE

Proposed School Along Socialistic Lines to Be Self-Sustaining.

St. Clair, Mich., June 3.—Negotiations are under way for the purchase of a 400-acre tract of land on the St. Clair river just south of here for the establishing of an industrial training and educational institute, which will represent an investment of \$500,000. In a measure it will be a philanthropic enterprise, conducted along socialistic lines. Parker H. Sercombe of Chicago is the originator of the plan, and among the men mentioned as his associates are Clarence Darow and Prof. Oscar Triggs of Chicago. It is proposed to make the institute eventually self-sustaining through the marketing of the products of the students, whose time will be equally divided between common school work and work of a practical and productive nature.

HOLDS SON'S LIFE WORTH \$200

Father Recovers Damages From Officer Who Shot Boy.

Marshall, Mich., June 3.—The case of William A. Mosher of Cassopolis, Mich., administrator of the estate of his son, Otis Mosher, vs. Charles B. Furner, sheriff of Calhoun county, and his deputy, Thomas Annis of Battle Creek, which has been on trial since May 3, has ended. Suit was brought for \$10,000 damages, and the jury rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$200. On Aug. 17, 1903, Otis Mosher stole a horse valued at 50 cents at Battle Creek and was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Annis. While on route to police headquarters he broke away and ran. The deputy sheriff fired at him and the bullet struck the fugitive. Mosher died the next day. The coroner's jury released Annis of criminal charges, hence the damage suit.

DISCOVERS ANOTHER MICROBE

Naples Scientist Has Found the Germ Which Causes Phthisis.

Naples, June 3.—Professor Schron, the discoverer of life in crystals, gave a public demonstration that he had found a new microbe which causes phthisis, a microbe quite different from that causing tuberculosis. Professor Schron affirms that this discovery explains why Dr. Koch's serum not only did not cure phthisis, but aggravated it.

Roosevelts Inherit \$35,000.

New York, June 3.—The report of Charles F. Lewis, appraiser of the personal estate in New York of James King Grace, the uncle of President Roosevelt, who died Nov. 23, 1903, has been filed at Mineola, N. Y. The will benefits the president and his family to the extent of \$35,000.

Big Price for Drawing.

St. Petersburg, June 3.—The last drawing of Veresteghin, the famous Russian painter, who lost his life in the explosion of the mine which destroyed the Russian warship Petrovskiy at Port Arthur, has been sold to a Moscow dealer for \$20,000.

Credit Men to Meet.

New York, June 3.—Plans have been completed by the committee on arrangements for the ninth annual convention of the National Association of Credit Men. The meeting will convene June 15.

Big Families for Pastors.

St. Louis, Mo., June 3.—In an address before the Congregational association the Rev. Cyrus F. Stimson of Kansas City impressed on the ministers that it is their duty to have large families.

Court Balks Strikers.

Albuquerque, N. M., June 3.—Judge Baker of the district court has made permanent the injunction restraining the striking Santa Fe machinists from molesting the company's property.

Accepts Call to Laporte, Ind.

Laporte, Ind., June 3.—Rev. Edwin Johnson of Merced, Cal., has accepted a call to St. Paul's Episcopal church of Laporte. He was formerly rector of St. Luke's church in Boston.

Wants \$2,000 for Butt.

Terre Haute, Ind., June 3.—William Fidler has sued Samuel Graff for \$2,000, for personal injuries inflicted by Graff's goat, which butted him, making him permanently lame.

Discussion by Royal Rulers.

Berlin, June 3.—One of the subjects which will be discussed by Emperor William and King Edward at Kiel is Germany's acquiescence in the Anglo-French treaty.

Spain and Portugal Sign Treaty.

Lisbon, June 3.—A treaty of arbitration has been signed between Spain and Portugal. It conforms with article nineteen of The Hague convention.

Expels American Citizen.

London, June 3.—A Berlin telegram to the Times says that Emil Horace of Cleveland, Ohio, a naturalized citizen, has been expelled from Prussia.

Nine Years for 30-Cent Theft.

New York, June 3.—Recorder Goff sentenced John Crane and Arthur Nagle to nine years and six months each in prison for stealing 30 cents.

Entertain Mayor Low.

London, June 3.—The Pilgrim's club entertained ex-Mayor Low of New York at luncheon at the Savoy hotel.

Run down, broke down, all played out feeling, cannot eat or sleep. Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. See it reconstruct your entire body. 35 cents, tea or tablets.

Smith's Drug Store.

Cancerous Ulcers

ROOTED IN THE BLOOD.



After the age of 45 or 50, when the vital powers are naturally weaker, it is noticed that a hurt of any kind heals slowly, and often a very insignificant scratch or bruise becomes a bad ulcer or sore. At this time of life very growths, moles and pimples that have been on the body almost from birth begin to inflame and fester, and before very long are large eating, sloughing ulcers.

Whenever a sore or ulcer is slow in healing then you may be sure something is radically wrong with your blood. Some old taint or poison that has been slumbering there

In the World Of Sport

College Athletic Season
Now Closing --- Events
at St. Louis Exposition
Will Stimulate Interest.
Men Who Have Per-
formed Well.

The athletic world is rife with comment concerning the recent intercollegiate contests at Philadelphia, the conference meet at Chicago and the A. A. U. championships at St. Louis. At Philadelphia the performances of John A. Dewitt of Princeton in the weight events, Shick of Harvard in the sprints, Schutt of Cornell, the long distance runner; McLanahan of Yale, pole vaulter, and Clapp of Yale, hurdle racer, have won high praise.

Dewitt has again shown himself to be one of the greatest all round athletes of modern times, and McLanahan in winning the pole vault evidenced that his equals are as few in number as the proverbial hen's teeth.

At the close of the college athletic season, which, by the way, is close at hand, interest will center chiefly in the events at the St. Louis exposition.

Director of Sports James E. Sullivan has prepared a programme the like of which has never before been seen in any country, and visitors at the great fair will have their athletic appetites satisfied with a feast of good things.

The western intercollegiate championships will be held June 11. The events are open to all colleges of the western states and will consist of the 100 yard run, 220 yard run, 440 yard

height, 220 yard hurdle race, 10 hurdles 2 feet 6 inches in height; running high jump, running broad jump, pole vault for height, putting the 16 pound shot, throwing the 16 pound hammer and throwing the discus.

The events are open to college athletes of the world.

A handsome gold medal, emblematic of the college championship of the world will be given to the winner, silver medal to second and bronze medal to third and a handsome banner, emblematic of the championship, will be presented to the college scoring the greatest number of points.

Robert E. Williams, the Princeton university sprinter, recently established a new intercollegiate record in the 880 yard dash. He ran the distance in the first time of 1 minute 56 2/5 seconds, smashing the record held by R. E. Hollister of Harvard.

Williams defeated a fast field and finished well in advance of D. C. Munson of Cornell, who gave the Princeton man a hard race from pistol to tape.

This was the main feature of the annual dual meet between Cornell and Princeton.

In every event the contests were of a most exciting nature until near the finish of the meet, when Princeton pluck told, and the Ithacans were vanquished, Princeton scoring 50 1/2 points against Cornell's 41 1/2.

It is all over. There will be no American team in the international cup race for the James Gordon Bennett trophy. An unsatisfactory, unpleasant and a not at all creditable chapter in American automobile history has been closed. It would be a relief to forget it except for the lesson for the future that it teaches.

The recent fiasco at the Empire City track, New York, where several candidates assembled to compete for places on the team and could not agree on minor details, was one of the most ridiculous occurrences in American automobile history.

All hope that Americans will profit by it that future attempts to be represented in the international cup race will be more seriously undertaken by

An Animal Story For
Little Folks

A Cricket Ball

The two boys on the lawn talked about a cricket ball—they meant a hard ball, like a baseball, with which a game called cricket is played—but Mrs. Hoppy Cricket and Mr. Chirpy Cricket, who overheard them, thought they meant sure enough ball, with music and dancing.

"The very notion!" chirped Mrs. Cricket. "We will give one to introduce Tweedle to society."

"We'll have the katydids for fiddlers," Mr. Cricket said. "I hear that new orchestra is the finest ever."

"Oh, yes, papa, and do have a fairly or two!" begged Miss Tweedle Cricket. "I love the sound of their chirrings."

For a week before the moonlight night which was to see the crickets



THE KATYDID ORCHESTRA.

ball like snapper bug messenger boys were hurrying to and fro all through the grass, inviting every beetle of any standing at all. The worms were left out. "Crawling creatures!" said Mrs. Cricket. "We can't afford to invite them."

The refreshments were honeydew arranged in rose leaves, and the orchestra was practicing new pieces for the occasion. It seemed too bad for a debutante to appear in black, but no cricket ever wears anything else, so Miss Tweedle had to be content with her shiny black silk gown.

The glowworms' lamps were glowing, the katydids hid away for dear life, and the crickets were swarming in circles when Mr. Rooster, returning from a late ward meeting, concluded that this must be a banquet especially arranged for him. But Mr. Rooster had been listening to speeches until he was drowsy. He was not quick enough for the beetles and crickets, though if they had invited a few worms I think he would have got them. As it was, the minute he set his foot in the ballroom they all fled out of the way under a leaf, the glowworms darkened their lamps, and you would never have guessed that there was a crickets' ball within a mile.—Worcester Post.

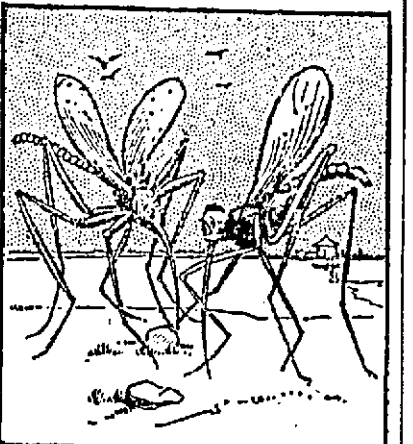
An Animal Story For
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THE VENTURESOME MOSQUITOES

There once lived in New Jersey two very smart little mosquitoes who were tired of the humdrum of everyday life and who thought it would be the very best fun that ever happened for them to start out and visit some of their relatives in Pennsylvania during the winter season.

So off they went into the mountainous region, and very soon they came across any number of the staid mosquitoes of that section, who expressed the greatest pleasure at meeting them.

The visitors stuck their long bills into the ground and set the little saws



STUCK THEIR LONG BILLS INTO THE GROUND.

that are attached to them to work and were pretty soon drilling holes in the earth.

Now two things are generally known to the wise. One is that oil is death to mosquitoes, and the other is that this particular section of Pennsylvania is famous for its oil.

Well, the mosquitoes had not drilled very far into the ground when suddenly there spouted up two streams of oil that would have put an end to the lives of all the mosquitoes in the whole of Jersey.

"I'll never leave home again," cried one of the inquisitive boys as he keeled over on his back and breathed his last. "Those are my sentiments," said the other fellow, as he, too, doubled up and died.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Uncultivated English Land.

Dartmoor, which occupies one-fifth of the area of the county of Devon, is the largest tract of uncultivated land in England.

A LOSS AND A GAIN.

BY CLO GRAVES.

They had finished dinner—a cozy tete-a-tete dinner, elegantly served upon a round table and chocky cooked. The butler and his subordinate had withdrawn, after placing a smart red dispatch box, which throughout the meal had occupied a prominent position on the sideboard, upon the shining cloth, before the master of the house. He, merely nodding, looked over at his wife, who without a word drew a little gold key from the collet of a rather massive seal ring and handed it silently across the table.

"You are very obliging," she said, "to consent, so much against the grain, to overhaul the results of my year of financial labor. The 'cheaves' I have reaped at the stock exchange"—her eyelashes played at humility—"are gathered in that dispatch box to a grain of corn."

"Of course I can't refuse, since you are so keen upon my going through the scrip and so forth. But you were always an excellent woman of business—you have had Countess Knolles to advise you—a man who absolutely leads the financial field. You were rich when I married you a year ago—you are fabulously wealthy now. Accept my congratulations."

"You have not forgotten—you never will forget—that unlucky, abominable, idiotic speech of mine, made a month after our marriage, in the heat of our first quarrel. I have eaten those words a hundred times—you have forgiven them ostensibly—but you do not really, and, thanks to your Scotch blood, you never will. They rankle in you now."

"The day after our quarrel I took measures—we won't detail them," the man went on, "to insure your having command of your money—in fact, of every stick, rag or stone belonging to you—command more absolute, if possible, than even the married woman's property net insures."

He unlocked the box with a shadow on his forehead and about his lips. The upper tray of the smart red receptacle was full of bundles of coupons, packets of assignments, bulky sheaves of shares in various companies, crackling securities gaily stamped and smartly engrossed, mining scrip and foreign rails. He snatched off the thin rubber band that encircled the first package and looked a little puzzled.

"These Countermark Reefs. You have a bundle of them, I see—and Jansu Copper Mines. You know the return was crushing—the shares are waste paper?"

"I know it."

"The Magic Skirt-Hanger." You bought that patent for eight hundred of the inventor. Do you—do you hang your skirts on it? The Patent Guillotine Mouse-trap, you bought that invention, top. Five hundred for a patent mousetrap. Here are more mines—all wildcat. The Bermuda Platinum Syndicate, 'The North Kerry Gold Prospecting Company,' the 'Great Sahara Electric Railway Company,' Great Scott! An electric railway on the desert! 'The Carpathian Coal Mines, Limited,' 'The Boshia Oil Pumping Association.' I'm at the bottom of the box, and—"

he paused over a rapid mental calculation—"you've invested—and lost—exactly 231,000, some odd pounds and pence over the rottenest speculations that were ever boomed by a bucket shop. You've had the best advisers—but you might have had the worst—and the whole thing is wonderfully puzzling."

"Your husband isn't a pauper, however—and—nobody can ever say again—"

He bit the rest of the sentence off short, but his wife finished it.

"That you married me for my money. No. It is a reproach that cannot, with justice, be again employed—even by me. For you certainly support the shock of my prodigality with exemplary fortitude."

She rose, tall and slender and beautiful in her trailing, shimmering black laces.

"You take your losses very coolly!" he observed.

"As I had the honor to mention before," she returned, "I don't consider that I have lost. It will be winning in the end—for me!"

His back was turned, his elbow rested on the mantel shelf. She knew that he was intently studying her reflection in the mirror above.

"What," he asked, "do you expect to win?"

With a long, tremulous cry, she uttered one word:

"You!"

He did not move. He held his breath, looking with his whole soul in her reflected eyes, at the woman mirrored in the glass.

"You! You were mine—a year ago. I lost you—forgot the love that was the world to me, in one mad moment of meanness and injustice, in the utterance of one false, bad, degrading taunt. You tried to forgive—I have seen it, but you could not forget. You took absurd measures—oh, my dearest! so ridiculous they were—to guard yourself from the possibility of such a suspicion ever being breathed again. The money lay between us like a barrier of stone. Then I made up my mind," her eyes flashed, "to pull down the barrier. I made friends with Lady Cecil and Countess Knolles and went in for stock-broking. Tasked their advice—always," she laughed, "consulted them as to what I ought to buy—and what I ought not to buy—and invariably bought what I ought not. Now the barrier is down—the money is gone. I haven't anything in the world but what you once gave me, and took away—what is now mine again. Isn't it, Kenneth, isn't it?" Her arms went out to him.

"You—you darling idiot—yes!" he said, brokenly, as he clasped her to his heart, and though the sentence was barely half uttered she was not offended.

Woman's Fire Brigade.

The town of Armidale, New South Wales, has a woman's fire brigade that has earned distinction in numerous encounters with the flames.

dozen or more young women from the brigade, electing one of their number as captain. They drill with the town brigade appliances and are capable of rendering assistance to the male firemen, when necessary. They are expert in rescuing work with the life-line and with the jumping sheet.

Fireproofing Wood.

A successful method of making wood proof against both fire and decay is being introduced in Germany. The cells of the timber are emptied of air in a vacuum and filled with sulphate and borate of ammonia.

Soldiers Unpopular in Spain.

In Spain military men are not idolized as they are in Germany. It is considered almost a disgrace to be a soldier, and it is still customary for families that can afford it to buy substitutes for their sons of military age.

Marrying Age in Japan.

The age at which the greatest number of Japanese girls marry is between 20 and 21.

Shepherd's Barometer.

The wool on the back of a sheep is the shepherd's barometer. The curler the wool the finer will be the weather.

CHICAGO MARKETS

From the Hudson, Rodco Co., 204 Jackson Block, Janesville, U. S. Yards Opening				
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